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3 Accidentally Poisoned

OX IS CONVICTED OF MURDER

lanta Editor Tried for Killing of Prominent Attorney

IFE IN PRISON IS PENALTY

ry's Verdict Carries Recommendation for Mercy

ATLANTA — (Associated Press) -Philip E. Fox, former editor of e Nighthawk, Ku Klux Klan of-al organ, was found guilty last ght of first degree murder of the tal shooting of William S. Coburn, an attorney, by a jury in Fulton-superior court.

The jury, after deliberating all , returned a verdict of guilty ith recommendations for mercy, hich automatically fixed a pen-e of life imprisonment.

Fox walked into Coburn's office the afternoon of November 5, d shot the attorney to death in e presence of Coburn's steno-apher and a client.

Fox's attorneys immediately after e verdict announced decision to e a motion for a new trial.

Judge G H Howard, who presid-at the trial, said when informed ch motion would be filed that the aring would not be placed on the lendar for several weeks

ARD TO DECIDE

In the event the new trial motion not pushed, it was said, the pris- commission would decide ether Fox would serve his sen-nce on a chain gang or the state's rm

Fox took the verdict more calmly an had been expected. While he as extremely nervous during the ial Fox maintained a disinterest-l attitude during the eight days e trial lasted scarcely speaking to s attorneys during the entire pro-edings

TRUCE IN CHURCH WAR DECLARED

Modernist - Fundamentalist Controversy Halted for Holidays

RESULT OF BISHOP'S APPEAL

Hostilities to be Renewed After Christmas, However

NEW YORK —(Associated Press) —Modernists in the Protestant Epicopal church today declared the pre-holiday sermons they would preach tomorrow would without exception, be in confromity with the diocesan letter issued by Bishop William T Manning, asking that a truce be observed in the interfactional controversy until after the Christmas holidays.

Fundamentalists of the diocese, it was understood, tacitly agreed not to use their pulpits tomorrow to reinforce their arguments in favor of the pastoral letter of the house of bishops which was one of the most important causes of the schism and which was upheld in Bishop Manning's letter

Preachers of both sides whose prepared sermons for tomorrow were to have skirted controversial grounds were said to be revising them to conform to the appeal for a holiday peace.

TO MAKE STATEMENT

Dr. William Norman Guthrie, rec-

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LEVIATHAN STUCK IN MUD BANK SEVEN HOURS

NEW YORK — The Leviathan, America's largest merchant vessel, today is resting in her war-time pier in Hoboken, having been refloated from the mud bank off Staten Island where she stuck for seven hours yesterday

A statement placing the responsibility for the accident is expected from officials of the United States lines. Captain Herbert Hartley accepted full responsibility but Joseph Bigley, who was piloting the vessel when she ran aground, placed the blame on shore officials of the operating lines.

ONE DEAD, MANY HURT IN WRECK

Passenger Train is Derailed in Georgia

ATLANTA — (Associated Press) —The engineer was reported killed and several passengers injured when the Dixie Flyer of the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis railway was wrecked near Kenesaw, north of Atlanta, this morning. The flyer was southbound, Chicago to Atlanta.

At the railroad offices it was said that Engineer J. W. Brown had been killed when his engine turned over. One of the sleepers of the train straddled the track.

From Marietta, a few miles from Kenesaw, came reports that six or eight passengers had been brought to a hospital there and that three Pullmans had left the rails.

CAUSE OF DEATHS IS REVEALED

Drug Unknowingly Administered by Columbus Physicians

HELD BLAMELESS IN CASE

Two Women Patients Die and Man Made Ill

COLUMBUS—(Associated Press) —Concluding several months investigation, two prominent Columbus physicians, Dr. Jonathan Forman and Dr. E. J. Gordon, last night revealed that they had unknowingly administered poison to two women who died last September within a period of a week and to a physician who recovered after having been dangerously ill for several days. All three were undergoing treatment for digestive disorders.

A majority of the medical profession in the city aided Drs. Forman and Gordon in their investigation and when the cause of the deaths became known they requested that their findings be made public.

The victims, Mrs. Minnie C. Davies, Columbus, and Mrs. Nellie Paul, of Circleville, at first were supposed to have died of heart disease Each was given an amount of a preparation, a solution made of several drugs, which rays of a fluoroscope will not penetrate thereby permitted

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25 CONVICTS GRANTED CHRISTMAS PAROLES

LANSING, Kansas, — Twenty-five convicts serving terms at the Kansas penitentiary here are at liberty on fifteen day Christmas paroles granted by Governor Jonathan M. Davis. They are on honor to return at the expiration of that period.

William La Trasse, train robber whose escapades have kept him confined in penitentiaries of the middle west most of the time since 1911, is one of those released for the holidays.

WOMAN IS SHOT TO DEATH

Slayer of Cleveland Resident Sought by Police

CLEVELAND — (Associated Press) — The murder by a shotgun of Mrs Georgia Woodward, 28, in her home last night was committed, police believe, by a man thought to be a relative, who was searching for his wife.

Upon Mrs Woodward's continued assertions that she did not know the whereabouts of the wife, the man, witnesses say, shot her at close range with the heavy gauge shotgun he had taken with him in his search.

The alleged slayer is said to have come here from Youngstown to find his wife, from whom he had been separated, police say. —Detectives are hunting for the slayer.

WOMAN FREED OF MURDER CHARGE

Jury Returns Verdict in Case at Waterloo, N. Y.

TRIED FOR KILLING HUSBAND

Crushed Victim's Skull With Axe, Prisoner Confesses

WATERLOO, N Y.—(Assocated Press) — Mrs. Nettie Case Taylor was acquitted of the murdr of her husband, Frank Taylor, by a jury at 1.20 o'clock this morning

The drastic climax of the sensational five day trial came a few hours after Mrs Taylor confessed that she had crushed her husband's skull with an axe on July 14, last, and made a plea of self defense.

Immediately after the jury returned, her attorney made a motion that the defendant be discharged, and this was granted by the court. The verdict was returned after less than five hours deliberation.

Mrs. Taylor displayed little or no emotion when the verdict was announced.

BODY RECOVERED

EAST LIVERPOOL —The body of Uriah Herald, 55, of Chester, W Va. who jumped into the Ohio river from the East Liverpool-Chester bridge, has been recovere'. Toolkeeper H. R. Hanna was beaten off when he tried to prevent the suicide.

TWO ARE KILLED, MANY INJURED

Farm House Near Johnsville, Ohio is Blown up

TWO SHATTERED AT NILE

Mingo Junction is Scene of Another Explosion

DAYTON — (United Press) — Two persons were killed by a terrific explosion which last night hurled the brick and frame farm home of Arthur Brumbaugh and family, near Johnsville, west of here into the air and reduced it to a twisted mass of shattered masonry and broken timbers

An acetylene tank is believed to have been the cause of the blast which was heard for a distance of five miles and shattered windows in nearby farm houses

Brumbaugh was evidently walking toward the house when the crashed came A heavy timber fell upon him and crushed his skull Mr Brumbaugh was blown thru the front of the house and was found under the debris of the front porch Death ensued in 15 minutes Brumbaugh was 56 and his wife 50

The three children were in the house at the time but all escaped death All the fingers on the hand of one of the children were crushed The children were dug out from beneath the ruins by persons who were first to reach the scene

TWO HOUSES WRECKED

NILES, Ohio—(Associated Press) —Miss Julia Gresham was said to be in a critical condition today from burns received when gasoline fumes, from gasoline said to have leaked into a sewer from a filling station exploded last night and wrecked two houses here.

Miss Gresham was lighting th

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THE MESSIAH

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WOMAN IS ON RUM RUNNERS' TRAIL

Never Mind Pints, Get the Big Fellow is Her System

STOP SMUGGLING, HER AIM

Tax 'Em Out of Business, Says Bootleggers' Nemesis

BY HARRY B. HUNT

WASHINGTON — (Special) — The bootlegger's nemesis is not Izzy Einstein, Gotham's demon prohibition sleuth.

Nor is "Lone Wolf" Asher, whose nose for synthetic gin has located the lair of countless rum moaches.

It is not even Roy Haynes, crusading prohibition commissioner, nor is it any of his staff.

Instead, it's a brown-haired, brown-eyed little woman of 34, who admits her age, possesses a firm chin and abundant energy and has a head full of ideas and the keen intelligence with which to apply them effectively. Her name is Mrs. Mabel Walker Willebrandt. Officially she is an assistant attorney general of the United States, in charge of the legal end of enforcing the prohibition and tax laws.

Mrs. Willebrandt would be the first to disclaim the title of bootlegger's nemesis. She'd tell you instead, that the prohibition law is NOT being enforced; that there is a steady and torrential flow of liquor into the United States; that a vast quantity of alcoholic beverages is being produced commercially within the country; that bootlegging has come to be one of the big businesses of the nation, with a turnover of hundreds of millions annually.

WHY SHE'S QUALIFIED

And right there, because she recognizes the futility of present efforts to enforce the law, and instead of maintaining that enforcement is progressing finely has set to work to develop methods for less spectacular but more effective enforcement, is where she qualifies for the title of the rum-runners' nemesis.

For Nemesis, as you know, was the Greek personification of retributive justice. And Mrs. Willebrandt not only proposes more severe prison sentences for the ringleaders in prohibition violation, but would seize for Uncle Sam millions of dollars built up by profits from illicit liquor sales.

"We can never enforce prohibition by 'pinching the pints'," she declares. "Enforcement has got to start back of the retail distribution. The first problem is to stop the sources of supply, and these are, chiefly, two.

"1. The smuggler.

"2. The man who, under cloak of apparent legality, withdraws alcohol on permits for industrial or other legal uses and diverts it into bootlegging channels.

"Prohibition officers now waste their time milling around on little cases of a pint or a few quarts at a time. Meanwhile the big commercial organizations, flooding the trade with liquor, operate comparatively undisturbed."

USE ALL AGENCIES

"In dealing with smuggling, the government should look to existing agencies—the coast guard, the revenue service and the customs service.

"The job can't be done by any one branch of the government. There must be an interlocking exchange of information and assistance. A definite objective must be set up, with a definite method of attack, not the scattered, disorganized effort now applied.

"When the police and the prohibition agents have failed, a tax investigation is one of the best methods of attack against the big violator," Mrs. Willebrandt says. "In these we uncover all the man's bank deposits, his investments in stocks, bonds, mortgages and other securities. In many cases these have mounted far into the millions in a short year or two."

BOOTLEGGERS' NEMESIS

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MRS. MABEL WALKER WILLEBRANDT

DELPHOS SOCIETY

Regular business meeting of the Maccabees took place at the lodge rooms N. Main-st

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Members of the Community Sunday school class were entertained Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs J H Stewart, S Lima-st

A program was given. Mrs John Traxler gave a vocal selection John Traxler gave several recitations

The children met Mr. and Mrs Santa Claus A beautiful tree was arranged for the occasion. The children were served with refreshments later in the evening

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Mrs. Sylvester spent Friday afternoon in Lima

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Members of the Laff-a-Lot club were entertained Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Frank Burgess, W Fifth-st

The evening was devoted to games The regular Christmas exchange took place. The hostess served a delicious luncheon in the evening.

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Members of the Royal Daughters school class of the United Brethren church met Friday at the home of Mrs. Frank Point, W. Climes-st

This was the regular business meeting of the class.

MINSTER MAN PAROLLED FROM DAYTON WORKHOUSE

TOLEDO — Moved by the Christmas spirit the department of justice has granted the request of Frank J. Bernhold for temporary parole from the Dayton workhouse.

When the departmett was infomed by Bernhold, who is serving a term for bootlegging, that the stork is expected at his home in Minster, Ohio, telegraphic orders were issued and promptly complied with by George R. Weeks, deputy marshal here, to the effect that Bernhold be paroled for several days, not only because of the coming event but also because he has been a model prisoner.

HERE AND THERE IN DELPHOS

William Alexander has bought the Carey residence property on West Third-st. This was formerly part of the old Alexander estate. Alexander may remove the present house and replace it with a modern residence.

Collectors of taxes for Allen and Van Wert-cos will come to Delphos early in January to receive payments. The Allen-co collectors will be here Jan. 3 and 4 and the Van Wert-co collector Jan. 9 and 10 The former will also collect at Elida Dec. 26 and at Spencerville Dec. 28.

An avalanche of Christmas cards and greetings has almost overwhelmed the force of clerks in the postoffice, and added to this heavy grist is a very largenumber of packages The mail at this time is the heaviest in the history of Delphos office, Postmaster Truesdale says Incoming mail about equals the outgoing, and between the two the postmaster and his assistants are having a very merry Christmas

VAN WERT NOTES

Judgment for $291.45 was given for plaintiff in the case of Albert C Feigert and B F Ridenour against Chester A Grow in Van Wert common pleas court after a jury trial Suit was brought to recover commission claimed due for sale of Crow's farm of 92.28 acres in York-tp.

O. H. Rogers has been elected president of the Ridge-tp Farm bureau for 1924 Jay Jackson is vice-president and Earl Tingley secretary-treasurer Over 400 persons attended the meeting at which the election was held School pupils gave a Christmas program and L. R. Bonnewitz told of his recent trip to the Holy Land

Jacob Wyandot Pleasant-tp, Van Wert-co, will retire from the office of township clerk Jan 1, 1924, after 19 years and one month of service. He is a veteran of the Civil war and yet active, but he wants a vacation. His successor will be William Johnson of Van Wert.

Miss Jeanette Fisher and Paul Korn were married by Rev. Henry P Bucher Wednesday at 8 p. m at his home on Bonnewitz-av Van Wert. The bride is a daughter of Mrs J W. Camp of Van Wert and the groom is son of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Korn of Lima. The groom is a fireman on the Cincinnati Northern railroad, and after a honeymoon trip to Cleveland the couple will reside in Warren.

DELPHOS AND VENEDOCIA LODGES TO BE COMBINED

DELPHOS -- Okonoxy lodge of Odd Fellows voted Friday night at a regular session of the order to accept the application of Venerocia lodge for consolidation with the Delphos organization The question of consolidation has been under consideration several weeks Monday night a committee from Okonoxy lodge visited the Venedocia lodge, made the required investigation, and reported favorably on the request The consolidation will bring to Okonoxy lodge 20 new members, and besides this increase, the lodge will get all the regalia, piano, and other furniture of the Venedocia lodge, which can be used or disposed of, as desired

Then Venedocia lodge has 60 members, but the others have taken withdrawal cards to lodges in Ohio City Spencerville, and other places.

Approval of the consolidation must be given by the grand lodge, to which the charter and seal of Venedocia lodge will be surrendered; but there is no doubt in the minds of Delphos Odd Fellows but that such approval will be granted.

COMMUNITY CLASS HOLDS CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION

DELPHOS -- The home of Mr. and Mrs J H. Stewart of 803 South Erie-st was scene of a happy gathering Friday night, when children of the Community Sunday school and other South Delphos children assembled there for Christmas festivities and to meet Mr and Mrs. Santa Claus Despite the rain there was a large attendance A mounted herald called the children together at the Fair grocery, where Mr and Mrs Santa Claus awaited them and escorted them to the Stewart home. A Christmas tree with colored lights and other trimmings loaded with gifts for the guests was the center of attraction The program included the following

Christmas carols by the Young Ladies class of the Presbyterian church and the Radio class of the Methodist church, with Miss Esther Cordell at the organ, Rev. H. L. Geddes gave a short talk. Mrs John Traxler contributed a vocal solo John Traxler gave recitations, a treat was distributed

The program was in charge of Horine, superintendent of the Community Sunday school which holds its sessions at the William Albaugh home on West Climes-st Sundays at 1:30 p. m

TED MUST WORK, RAIN OR NO RAIN

"Rain or no rain, I've got to keep on working," Ted said Saturday as he raised a bushel basket over his head to keep off a few drops of rain from spoiling his new hat. "This kind of weather should be satisfactory to those who are all time complaining about the changeable climate All it is doing now is raining," he added as he predicted that it will rain Saturday night and probably Sunday morning. "Colder but no snow," he concluded as he picked up his basket and went back to work.

SECOND PLEA OF GUILTY MADE

Second Member of Trio Admits Rum Running Charge

Donald Friend, crippled member of the alleged whiskey running trio captured Friday morning by Detectives Kipker and Keller after a two-mile chase on West-st in which three fusillades of shots were fired by police, Friday afternoon reversed his plea before Judge Neil R. Poling and admitted guilt to a charge of transportation of illicit liquor.

The court took his case under advisement with announcement that an investigation would be made before decision is pronounced as the man is so badly crippled that a stay in jail for any length of time might result disastrously.

The man is suffering with tuberculosis and his right ankle is so badly crippled that he has difficulty in walking In a statement to Judge Poling, Friend said the whisky and gin were purchased in Detroit and were being taken to Dayton for sale. He gave the police some valuable information which is expected to let him off with a light sentence.

Chance remark to a Vaughnsville garagekeeper that "Lima is a tough town for whisky "runners" resulted in the capture of the trio here after an exciting chase during which police riddled their car with shots from a repeating shotgun.

The Vaughnsville man called police and said a cargo of whisky was being brought to Lima enroute to Dayton. Detective Inspector Kipker and Detective Keller laid in wait and trapped the trio with a 10-gallon keg of gin and a five-gallon keg of "moonshine."

Nelson Friend, uncle of Donald and Harry Friend, shouldered all the blame when the trio faced Judge Poling Friday morning. He admitted his guilt but no information was obtained until Donald Friend reversed his plea.

Harry Friend, the third member, is the only one who still maintains his innosence. All are in jail in default of bail.

Efforts to keep the automobile will be made by Police Chief Lanker despite the claims of Nelson Friend that the car is the property of a cousin, and he was using it only temporary without the owner knowing it was used in whisky running.

Under the state law automobiles utilized for transportation of illicit liquor are liable to confiscation and the local department will engage in civil action if necessary to retain the car as Nelson Friend admitted transportation.

Lanker has the illicit cargo of gin and "moonshine" locked up at headquarters pending final disposition of the case then he wil empty it in the sewer.

BENOY APPOINTED

COLUMBUS -- Appointment of Wilbur E. Benoy, former assistant prosecutor of Franklin-co, as an assistant to the attorney general to succeed William J Meyer, was announced today by Attorney Genrlleds nounced today by Attorney General Crabbe. The appointment is effective January 1 when Meyer will return to hit home at ortsmouth to practice law.

CITY TOO POOR TO INSPECT MEAT

Healther Sees Lack of Funds in Way of Proposal

DEFICIT NOW FACES BOARD

President Stolzenbach Thinks Some Method Needed

Lima should have regular meat inspection but won't have any money to pay for it next year such is the opinion of Charles Stolzenbach, president of the city board of health.

Stolzenbach, commenting to a News reporter on Toledo's edict passed by federal inspectors, said barring Lima meat unless it is some method of inspection should be provided here. He pointed out however, that the city health board faces a shortage of $10,000 in meeting expenses already anticipated for next year.

"It is simply a case of no funds with which to pay a meat inspector next year," said Stolzenbach. "There is not enough business in the city to enable the fees to meet the costs of inspection. The board believes there ought to be a rigid inspection of all meat slaughtered in the city and also of all meat used, that is, meat sold at retail in the local markets. But we won't have enough money to run the department as it is now, without creating any more work that costs money."

DEFICIT COMING

He pointed out that with the dawn of the fiscal year the health department faces a possible deficit of $10,560.98 The 1924 budget, prepared by City Manager Bingham, as city budget commissioner, showed a need of $16,000 to properly operate the health department next year. The county budget commission allowed $2,939.02.

Bingham estimated to the city commission recently that the health department would get $2,500 from sources other than taxes, these being inspection fees that permit costs. This makes a total of $5,439.02 that the board of health will have to meet an expected expenditure of $16,000.

With such a condition facing the board it is easily seen," said Stolzenbach, "that the board cannot create the office of meat inspector and require a constant and rigid inspection of all meats used or slaughtered in the city. If we could get enough fees, as Charles Ashton does in the plumbing inspection work, not only to pay the office, and inspection costs but to have a surplus, then we might talk about local meat inspection."

LEGLESS COUPLE CAUSE DIVORCE

Decree Won by Deserted Wife in Unusual Elopement

As a sequel tote romantic elopement of George A. Wollet, former railroad telegrapher, and Mrs. Edna Dodd, legless couple who fled the city together two years ago, Mrs. Edna M. Wollet, obtained a divorce decie before Judge Fred C. Becker, Saturday.

The decree was granted on grounds of cruel treatment, and the court took under consideration an application to bar Wollet in dower rights in propeity in 670 S. Union-st.

Wollet's flight with his legless sweetheart, was superinduced by a visit made by police to his home during his absence. The police dubbed Wollet "the legless bootlegger," on account of his activities.

Police are alleged to have found a still in Wollet's basement. The owner returned, and learned of the visit. He fled at once, taking with him Mrs Dodd. The two escaped in a specially constructed touring car which was operated by hand levers.

A secret affection, which culminated in the elopement, sprang up between Mrs. Dodd and Wollet, when the former was given shelter in his home by Mrs. Wollet. Mrs. Dodd was ill at the time, but continued to live there after her recovery. She had one child, a boy.

George Wollet lost his legs in an accident in L. E. & W. railroad. Mrs. Dodd, a cigarmaker, lost hers in an accident at the Pennsylvania crossing in N. Main-st and she received a cash settlement from the railroad.

Mrs. Dodd later contracted two marriages. She was last summer married to Asher Dodd who was living in Cloveland at the time of the legless elopment

After losing his legs, Wollet opened a cigar store in S. Main-st, and for a time enjoyed a lucrative trade among railroad men.

LISTENING-IN EXPENSIVE TO GERMAN RADIO FANS

BERLIN—Listening-in is expensive in Germany. The government doesn't permit anyone to have a machine for receiving wireless who doesn't pay a fee of 25 gold marks and obtain a permit from the police. The receiving machines now on sale in German shops average in price from 300 to 400 gold marks.

Until the middle of October the government regarded broadcasting with such suspicion that it was prohibited for amousement purposes, and the public was not permitted to have receivers.

For some time the postoffice department which controls wireless operations has had considerable income from a service called "Blitzfunk" which was supplied to banks and commercial concerns thruout the republic, and the desire to retain this income has apparently interfered with general permission to establish receiving stations.

Proparations are being made to supply hospitals, cafes and factories with operas, concerts, speeches and news report.

LET THE DIXIE CAFETERIA SERVE YOU MEALS; MAIN AND WAYNE-STS.

W. J. BRYAN TAKES RAP AT FORD

Declares Manufacturer's Indorsement Will Hurt Coolidge

MIAMI, Fla.—(Associated Press)—William Jennings Bryan, candidate for delegate to the national Democratic convention from this state, issued a statement today in repard to Henry Ford's endorsement of President Coolidge in which he states that the reaction will hurt Coolidge instead of helping him.

The statement adds:

"Mr. Ford has been talked of as the candidate of the masses, his support coming from both Democrats and Republicans, who interpreted his candidacy as a protest against the reactionary policies of most of the Republican leaders and some of the Democratic leaders.

"Mr. Ford, as the millionaire champion of the poor people of the country would make an inspiring spectacle, but Mr. Ford loses his prominence when he joins with the rest of the big business men in support of a reactionary candidate.

"He will not carry with him any of the plutocrats, because they are already supporting Mr. Coolidge; the president's opposition to the excess profits tax made sure of their support: but Mr. Ford's desertion of the masses will create an irritation that will become more pronounced as the campaign approaches. The men who have difficulty in keeping their household expenditures within their incomes—the men who as a rule buy Ford cars—will resent the abandonment of their cause by one of the richest men in the country whom they regarded — mistakenly, it now seems—as their friend.

'His use of the word 'safe' in describing President Coolidge, will suggest a companion word 'sane' which usually accompanies the word 'safe' when used to describe public men. Those who talk of a 'safe and sane' candidate reflect upon the intelligence as well as upon the good purposes of the masses. President Coolidge will find Mr. Ford the most expensive booster who has yet climbed into the band-wagon; his action emphasizes the deepening division between those with big incomes and those with small incomes."

NEW 50,000 CITY HANGS FIRE

Water Power Project Seen as Aiding Sagebrush Site

SEATTLE—A city of 50,000 persons engaged in electro-chemical industries may rise on 6,000 acres of sagebrush beside the Columbia river, to exploit water power rivaling that of Niagara Falls, if success follows plans referred by the federal water power commission in Washington, D. C., to Col. W. J. Borden, army engineer for this district

Such a city would stand at Priest Rapids, Wash., 150 miles east of Seattle, on the other side of the Cascade mountains.

A subsidiary of the General Electric Co. has applied to the commission for a license to construct a dam two miles long and 90 feet high, a dam declared here to be in blueprint half again as long as the barrier across the Mississippi river at Keokuk, Iowa.

It is proposed to develop 750,000 horsepower from the rapids, besides irrigating 100,000 acres of land in eastern Washington now devoted to sagebrush and bunch grass, but capable, according to experts, of yielding unsurpassed fruits and crops under irrigation. The soil is volcanic lava, ground to powder by age-gone glaciers.

The cost of the power development is put in the application at $41,000,000 and the cost of building the city at $12,000,000.

Miss Margaret McNeff of the city purchasing department left Saturday for Sidney, O., where she will spend Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. Burns and family of Pittsburg arrived in Lima Saturday to spend the Christmas holiday season with Mrs. Burns' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stolzenbach.

RUSSIA REPLIES TO HUGHES CHARGES

Secretary Challenged to Prove Revolutionary Propaganda

PAPERS CALLED FORGERY

Documents Produced at Washington Attacked

MOSCOW — (United Press) — Challenge to Secretary Hughes to produce "before any impartial court of arbitration" documents represented as communist propaganda for a revolution in the United States was uttered Friday by Foreign Minister Tchitcherin.

Tchitcherin demands conditional withdrawal of the documents by Hughes, unless the American secretary of state faces the arbitration court and proves his charges.

"Otherwise he will show the world he consciously made himself instrumental in broadcasting forged documents," the Russian minister says in a statement issued after he had read the full text of documents published in America and had conferred with the communists internationale to whom the alleged instructions were attributed.

Gregory Zinoviev, president of the communist internationale, and Sekloff, editor of the Isvestia, quoted in the documents, both declared the papers "ran forgeries."

FORGERY CHARGED

"Having acquainted myself with the contents of the Hughes documents," said Tschitcherin's statement. "I communicated with Zinoviev and Sekloff.

"On behalf of the soviet government as well as Sekloff and Zinoviev, I emphatically declare the documents are an unmitigated forgery, like the infamous 'Sissons papers'."

The latter were documents alleged to have been obtained in Moscow by Edgar G. Sisson, of the committee on public information in 1917 purporting to show that Lenin and Trotsky were paid agents of the German government.

"I challenge Secretary Hughes failing unconditional withdrawal of the documents, to produce them before any impartial court of arbitration, jointly agreed upon," the statement continued.

"By failing to do this, Secretary Hughes will show the whole world he consciously made himself instrumental in broadcasting forged documents.

"It is up to Secretary Hughes to acquit himself of these charges."

HUGHES STANDS PAT

WASHINGTON — (United Press) Secretary of State Hughes will neither withdraw nor submit to arbitration the documents he made public following his refusal to negotiate with soviet Russia, a high official of the state department said today.

This government is "fully convinced," it was said, that the documents are genuine, despite declaration of George Tchitcherin, soviet foreign minister, that they are forgeries.

PORTUGUESE PRESIDENT IS DEMOCRATIC PERSON

LISBON—Senhor Teixeira Gomes, the seventh president of the Portuguese republic, is attracting much attention from the people because of the democratic way in which he goes about his business.

He is reported to have said he does not wish to see his electors from behind the closed windows of his automobile; that he wants to be a president who thinks, talks and walks abroad like anyone else.

He has acquired the habit of taking a walk before breakfast, and when it was suggested to him that it was not the custom he is said to have replied "Well, from today on it will be."

To make his answer more emphatic he started for a walk in the park of Ajuda Palace and held a long conversation with a white-haired gardner who had not the slightest idea he was talking with the president of the republic.

The president was not aware that it was the custom for the police to closely guard his every move on such occasions as going to the theatre. One night noticing numerous squads of police saluting his car he inquired anxiously as to the reason for their appearance and if there had been any disturbance. Told of the custom of guarding the president he said:

"Then we'll take another route for a change," and the presidential car switched off to a side street causing consternation among the guards who had waited in vain for his coming along their posts.

SINGER SCORNS MARKS

DORTMUND — Emmy Leisner a Berlin soprano who was engaged to appear with the Dortmund Music society, refused to sing unless she was paid in foreign money or some sort of stable currency. As the management had only German paper money the concert had to be cancelled.

CROSSLEY'S FOR TOYS, 207 S. MAIN. OPEN EVENINGS.

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Mother-In-Law Scorns Working Girl, Is Claim

How she worked in a Cincinnati cigar factory, while in an aristocratic section of Dayton her mother-in-law lived in a palatial home and scorned her because she worked was related in common pleas court Saturday by Mrs. Capidola De Nyssens, 22, of 303 E. Spring-st.

Mrs. De Nyssens is seeking to divorce Boul De Nyssens, 42, washing machine salesman of Cincinnati. Her mother-in-law, she said, refused to allow them to live in Dayton because she did not want friends in her social circle to know her daughter-in-law was a working girl.

The plaintiff testified that De Nyssens hit her and choked her on two occasions.

Once was when she told him they would get along all right but for his mother's interference, and the other was when she urged him to get a man's job and go to work.

Judge Becker continued the case until corroborative witnesses could appear to testify.

SCRAP IRON SCRAP SCRAPPED

Judge Tells Scrappers Not to Scrap Any More

The Edleman-Miller junkyard fracas aired in criminal court Saturday resulted in Judge Neil Poling assessing a $50 fine against Edelman and then suspending the fine

The trouble on Dec. 9 was just one of a number of fights in which the two have engaged for the past 10 years, it was brought out in court.

Miller charged Edleman with assaulting him and Edelman aired the same contention. A number of witnesses were called and their testimoney was to the effect that disagreement culminated over the price of scrap iron.

Miller accused Edelman and his son of "jumping" him without warning, and Edelman in turn accused Miller of assaulting him and threatening him with a spade.

Judge Poling fined Edelman but after a review of the testimony and conditions surrounding the case he suspended the fine and warned both not to appear again in his court.

CITY COMMISSIONERS TO MEET EARLY MONDAY

Owing to the fact that Monday evening is the night before Christmas, the city commissioners have agreed to meet at 5 p. m. Monday instead of waiting until 7 p. m., the regular meeting hour.

Glen Webb has made a request that he be given a chance to appear before the city commission Monday to discuss the cost of bonding taxicab owners under the provisions of the ordinance which became effective Oct. 15 but which ordinance has not yet been enforced.

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[M]ELLON TAX PLAN IS ATTACKED

[...] Wrong, Declares Prominent Democrat in Senate

[S]HIFTS BURDEN TO POOR"

[Wi]ll Propose Substitute for Administration Bill

(BY FRASER EDWARDS)
[W]ASHINGTON—(United Press) The Mellon tax plan is all wrong. [It] is designed to let the rich escape [an]d make the burdens of the poor [he]avier.

[I]t will not be enacted into law [with]out a desperate struggle.

This is the postion of Senator [Si]mmons, North Carolina, ranking [De]mocrat on the senate finance [co]mmittee.

The house of representatives originates tax and appropriation bills. [B]ut congressional history shows [th]e such bills are usually rewritten [in] their essential particulars in the [sen]ate.

[WI]LL OFFER SUBSTITUTE

Simmons will propose a virtual [sub]stitute for the administration [bi]ll when the matter comes into [the] senate.

[H]ere is what Simmons wants.

Taxes which will force profiteers [to] bear the heaviest proportion of [the] burden.

[E]limination of "nuisance" taxes.

Reduction of taxes on all small [inc]omes.

The soldier bonus.

Preservation of the high tax on [large] incomes.

"The Democrats," Simmons said, [ar]e opposed to untaxing the profit[eer]s There is as much profiteer[ing] now, as there was in war time. [We] ought to tax it. We will, if sen[ate] Democrats have anything to say [abo]ut it. The Mellon plan is de[fe]nded by the millionaires and [pro]fiteers."

[TU]BERCULOSIS FATAL TO MISS GOLDIE ALLEN

[M]iss Goldie Allen, 23, daughter [of] Mr. and Mrs. William Allen, re[sidi]ng two miles south of Kemp, [die]d Friday at the Tuberculosis hos[pita]l. She had been seriously ill for [sev]eral weeks.

[I]n addition to the parents, three [bro]thers and two sisters survive.

[F]uneral services will be held Sun[day] at 10 a. m., at the United Breth[ren] church in Allentown. Burial [in] Allentown cemetery.

[DR]Y AGENT ARRESTED ON EXTORTION CHARGE

[S]TEUBENVILLE — John O. Cole, [Jef]ferson-co dry agent operating [wit]h the Richmond and New Alex[and]er "Kangaroo" courts and vig[or]ously prosecuting liquor trade in [Ste]ubenville, was arrested last night [on] a charge of extortion and held for [hea]ring next week under bond of [$1,]000.

The officer is sick in bed and could [not] be moved. Friends posted the [nec]essary bond.

The affidavits, filed by Charles [Apr]iletti, of Piney Fork, charge Cole [wit]h accepting an automobile for [whi]ch Aprilettl paid $65.17 per [mon]th in payments, in order to re[ceiv]e protection.

[CA]NINE SERENADES ARE LIKED ON W. ELM-ST

[C]anine serenaders in the wee [hour]s of the morning are not favor[ably] received by Lima residents, es[peci]ally when such concerts are [give]s before the usual rising hour.

[O]n S. Metcalf-st a dog howled [nigh]tly for nearly a week, residents [file]d in a complaint to police who [ann]ounced that the dog had escaped. [A] request that the owner of a sing[ing] dog on W. Elm-st muzzle or [ge]t the animal was made by one [th]e citizen who said he refuses to [rat]her have his sleep disturbed.

BARRELS OF WHISKY TAKEN BY BANDITS

[B]ALTIMORE.—A score of armed [men] and a fleet of trucks last night [swoo]ped down on the Gwynbrook [Dist]illery warehouses at Gwynbrook, [near] Owings Mills, shackled the [thre]e guards and broke into two or [thre]e whisky stocked buildings.

[A]n army of state, county and city [poli]ce and national guardsmen on [mot]orcycle, last night scoured the [road]s and countryside for the fugi[tives] who fled just in time to escape [th]e closing net.

[F]our men were captured in a mo[tor] truck. Half a dozen others es[cape]d amid a fussilade of shots, [aban]doning two trucks believed to [hav]e been stolen from the Manhat[tan] Transportation Company, Phila[delp]hia.

[M]ore than forty barrels of whisky [valu]ed at $60,000, was stolen.

GLASSCOE CAPTURED

[E]dward Glasscoe, colored, want[ed by] Findlay police on a charge of [gra]nd larceny of tools from a gar[age] was taken here Friday after[noo]n by police within two hours af[ter] word had been received to pick [him] up. He was returned to Find[lay] Saturday morning to answer to [the] charge.

AUTO CLAIMEMD

[A]bandoned automobile near 341 [S.] Kibby-st was claimed Friday by [R.] E. Crider, 831 Eureka-st, who [told] police he parked the vehicle [whe]n his gasoline supply became [exh]austed. Police at first believed [the] machine had been stolen and [aba]ndoned.

YANKED OUT OF LOVE

[Wh]en rich young Whitney's father [dra]gs him away from one sweetheart [fo]r another. Sunday's Detroit Free [Pre]ss. All news stands. McCandless [New]s C Districutor.

PRIZE FIGHTS FOR WOMEN

[W]hy women seem to get such sat[isfy]ing thrills from seeing pugilists [pom]mel each other. Sunday's De[troi]t Free Press. Don't miss it. Mc[Can]dless News Co. Distributor.

IMPROVING

[M]rs. Aaron Bice, of Spencerville, [who] was operated upon at the City [hos]pital this week, is reported to be [imp]roving slowly. The operation is [beli]eved to be a success.

NEWSIES GET MESSAGE

Here's a message for the Lima Daily News newsies right from His Highness, Jackie Coogan, himself.

Jackie and the Lima Lodge of Elks have invited all the News newsies to attend Jackie Coogan's latest picture, "Long Live the King," at the Quilna theatre next Monday.

The man in the picture is Jackie's manager and he holds a case with the print of the film which the newsies will enjoy Monday. And the message which Jackie is handing to his manager says this for The News newsies.

"Merry Christmas to the Lima News newsies, and Lima Lodge of Elks, may you boys enjoy my latest picture. It's the best I ever appeared in."

MRS. I. A. ZAY IS HOSTESS TO CLASS

MRS. I. A. ZAY, opened her home, 316 N. Metcalf-st, Friday evening, entertaining the members of the King's Daughters class of the Central church of Christ at their annual Christmas party. Mrs. Zay is the class teacher.

An informal evening was enjoyed. In the contest held, Miss Sly Patterson was successful. A Christmas exchange was the feature of the evening's entertainment, the guests finding gifts for them on an attractively decorated Christmas tree. Mrs. Zay served a two-course luncheon, assisted by Miss Helen Hamilton.

Guests othe rthan the members were Miss Helen Scheuffier and Miss Lenore Kerr

The next regular meeting of the class will be in January.

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Miss Mildred Phalen, W Circular-st, invited a group of friends to her home Saturday afternoon to assist her in celebrating her twelfth birthday anniversary. Contests were enjoyed in which Miss Mary Falk and Miss Blanche Langan were successful. At 4:30 o'clock, a two-course luncheon was served by the hostess' mother, Mrs. Lawrence Phalen, assisted by Mrs. James Phalen.

Guests were Misses Catherine Hahn, Rose Alma Phalen, Marie Hahn, Hary Falk, Alice and Lola Phalen, Blanche Langan, Odetta Vogel, Alice Sullivan, Louise Cardosi, Grace Malloy and Marie Ebner.

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Mrs Sanders Miller has returned from Rochester, Minn, where she has been under the care of the Drs. Mayo for some time.

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Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stokes, W. Wayne-st, have gone to Detroit, where they will visit over Christmas with Mr. Stokes' parents.

WEEDS USED EXTENSIVELY AS CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS

CLEVELAND — Gilded and decorated in different colors, such weeds as pepper grass, teazle, milkweed and golden rod are competing in popular favor with plants and cut flowers for Christmas decorations in Cleveland.

The fad has sprung into an industry overnight. Painted weeds are being displayed by nearly every florist in the city.

So keen has competition for certain kinds of weeds become that they are being shipped in from different parts of the state, according to A. T. Felton, who has turned his barn and green house into a weed painting factory.

Most of the painting is done with a fifty pound pressure gun, but some specimens, such as the interior of milkweed pods, must be decorated by hand. The decorated weeds are made up into boxes or baskets.

PREMIER OF GREECE HANDS IN RESIGNATION

ATHENS — Premier Gonatas of Greece resigned today.

Republicans demanded the resignation following their success in the elections but Gonatas at first announced the government would retain power until the national assembly had convened and elected its president.

Gonatas is leader of the liberal party which lost many seats in last week's elections.

ALCOHOL SEIZED

CLEVELAND.—Ten barrels of alcohol valued at $15,000, was seized while being loaded onto a truck from a freight car.

POPE'S PICTURE PAINTED

BERLIN — A portrait and statue of Pope Pius XI recently have been completed. The former was painted by Ernst Heilemann, the Berlin artist, while the statue is the work of Prof. Theodor Georgi of Munich.

THEATERS

AT THE SIGMA

"In Search of a Thrill," starring Viola Dana, opens a three day engagement today at the Sigma theatre. Comedy and Sigma News.

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AT THE QUILNA

"The Acquittal" with Norman Kerry and Claire Windsor, is the Quilna's attraction for the final times today. News and Lyman H. Howe's "Hodge Podge."

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AT THE MAJESTIC

Elsie Ferguson has the leading role in "The Outcast" at the Majestic for the last times today.

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AT THE LYRIC

"North of Hudson Bay" with Tom Mix, is the Lyric's offering again today. Added features.

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AT THE ORPHEUM

"Scandals of the Nile" appears for the final times today at the New Orpheum theatre.

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AT THE FAUROT

Keith vaudeville at the Faurot Opera House.

REWARDS FOR ARREST OF KORETZ TO BE POSTED

CHICAGO.—A reward of $1,000 for the arrest of Leo Koretz, charged with operating a $5,000,000 oil swindle, will be posted in every important city in the world, according to the authorities, who so far have announced the development of no tangible clue throwing light on his whereabouts after a two weeks' search.

Meanwhile investigators are tracing long distance telephone calls from Koretz to a woman in New York for ten days prior to his departure from Chicago in the belief that his flight was arranged at that time. Police of Cairo, Egypt., have been asked to question a woman there with whom Koretz maintained a safe deposit box in a Chicago bank as to knowledge she may have of his movements.

PREACHER TO BECOME CHIEF OF POLICE

PADUCAH, Ky.—Citizens today were discussing the qualifications of the chief chosen to head the Paducah police force, after the incoming city administration takes charge January 7. He is A W Leigh, 36, a Baptist preacher, pastor of a church here, formerly a boilermaker, employed by the Illinois Central railroad and sometimes volunteer assistant to officials in enforcement of the prohibition law.

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LEGION WILL AID NEEDY FOLK

Former Soldiers at State Hospital to be Remembered

The family of every needy former service man in Lima will be remembered by the American Legion, which will play Santa Claus Christmas day

Distribution of baskets will be made by the Ladies Auxiliary, it was announced by Franklin Cover, post commander, at a meeting of William Paul Gallagher post, Friday night.

Since the announcement was made a week ago that the Legion would bring Christmas cheer to homes of their comrades, Cover said he had received a number of contributions from persons outside the Legion who wanted to help.

One anonymous contributor donated $5. Members of the post Friday night raised $25. Former service men under treatment in Lima state hospital will be remembered.

The Legion held a big Christmas party at post club rooms Friday night, attended by 100 members. Presents were distributed from a Christmas tree, and a mock court martial staged, enabled members in the post who are lawyers to try out their oratorical powers.

$24,000,000 TO GO IN CHRISTMAS STOCKINGS

NEW YORK.—On Christmas Day $24,504,000 in gold will be found in the thousands of Christmas stockings hung up al over the country. The Federal Reserve system and the Federal Reserve Bank of New York in figures published, show that this amount was withdrawn during the week ending December 19. At the New York bank the withdrawals of gold amounted to $10,339,578, the largest ever recorded for the week preceding Christmas.

MARINE CORPS SUSPENDS RECRUITING INDEFINITELY

Recruiting for the U. S. marine corps, which has been in progress in Lima for four months past has been closed over the Christmas holidays. The office in the courthouse will be open but no applicants for enlistment will be taken until further orders, Sergeant Joseph Balla, declares.

Quota for the marine corps in the country is filled at the present time. About 5,000 men have been accepted in the past six months. Lima has proven a better recruiting point than any city in northern Ohio, save Cleveland, records show.

Army recruiting will still continue in Lima, the quota for that branch of service being still short.

WESTERN UNION MOVES FROM CITY BUILDING

Western Union offices, which have been located on the ground floor in the City building for a number of years, were moved Friday afternoon to the company's new home in the Ashton block, W. Market and S. Elizabeth-sts.

Moving of the Western Union offices from the City hall causes the first vacancy in the building. The Central Building & Loan Association will oson move to new quarters on the north side of High-st, almost directly across from the water department offices

Members of the present city commission last October advertised for the rental of offices in the building during 1924, but only two were received. City officials hoped by competitive bidding to raise the rent for 1924, but there was no competitive bidding and now it will be up to the new city commission to rent the offices, present commissioners say.

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WOMAN IS ON RUM RUNNERS' TRAIL

Never Mind Pints, Get the Big Fellow is Her System

STOP SMUGGLING, HER AIM

Tax 'Em Out of Business, Says Bootleggers' Nemesis

BY HARRY B. HUNT

WASHINGTON — (Special) — The bootlegger's nemesis is not Izzy Einstein, Gotham's demon phohibition sleuth.

Nor is "Lone Wolf" Asher, whose nose for synthetic gin has located the lair of countless ru mcaches.

It is not even Roy Haynes, crusading prohibitio ncommissioner, nor is it any of his staff.

Instead, t's a brown-haired, brown-eyed little woman of 34, who admits her age, possesses a firm chin and abundant energy and has a head full of ideas and the keen intelligence with which to apply them effectively. Her name is Mrs. Mabel Walker Willebrandt. Officially she is an assistant attorney general of the United States, in charge of the legal end of enforcing the prohibition and tax laws.

Mrs. Willebrandt would be the first to disclaim the title of bootlegger's nemesis. She'd tell you instead, that the prohibition law is NOT being enforced; that there is a steady and torrential flow of liquor into the United States; that a vast quantity of alcoholic beverages is being produced commercially within the country; that bootlegging has come to be one of the big businesses of the nation, with a turnover of hundreds of millions annually.

WHY SHE'S QUALIFIED

And right there, because she recognizes the futility of present efforts to enforce the law, and instead of maintaining that enforcement is progressing finely has set to work to develop methods for less spectacular but more effective enforcement, is where she qualifies for the title of the rum-runners' nemesis

For Nemesis, as you know, was the Greek personification of retributive justice. And Mrs. Willebrandt not only proposes more severe prison sentences for the ringleaders in prohibition violation, but would seize for Uncle Sam millions of dollars built up by profits from illicit liquor sales.

"We can never enforce prohibition by 'pinching the pints'," she declares. "Enforcement has got to start back of the retail distribution. The first problem is to stop the sources of supply, and these are, chiefly, two.

"1. The smuggler.

"2. The man who, under cloak of apparent legality, withdraws alcohol on permits for industrial or other legal uses and diverts it into bootlegging channels.

"Prohibition officers now waste their time milling around on little cases of a pint or a few quarts at a time. Meanwhile the big commercial organizations, flooding the trade with liquor, operate comparatively undisturbed."

USE ALL AGENCIES

"In dealing with smuggling, the government should look to existing agencies—the coast guard, the revenue service and the customs service.

"The job can't be done by any one branch of the government. There must be an interlocking exchange of information and assistance. A definite objective must be set up, with a definite method of attack; not the scattered, disorganized effort now applied.

"When the police and the prohibition agents have failed, a tax investigation is one of the best methods of attack against the big violator," Mrs. Willebrandt says. "In these we uncover all the man's bank deposits, his investments in stocks, bonds, mortgages and other securities. In many cases these have mounted far into the millions in a short year or two."

BOOTLEGGERS' NEMESIS

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MRS. MABEL WALKER WILLEBRANDT

DELPHOS SOCIETY

Regular business meeting of the Maccabees took place at the lodge rooms N. Main-st

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Members of the Community Sunday school class were entertained Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs J. H. Stewart, S. Elm-st.

A program was given. Mrs John Traxler gave a vocal selection. John Traxler gave several recitations.

The children met Mr. and Mrs Santa Claus. A beautiful tree was arranged for the occasion. The children were served with refreshments later in the evening

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Mrs. Sylvester spent Friday afternoon in Lima

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Members of the Laff-a-Lot club were entertained Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Frank Burgess, W Fifth-st

The evening was devoted to games. The regular Christmas exchange took place. The hostess served a delicious luncheon in the evening.

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Members of the Royal Daughters Social Class of the United Brethren church met Friday at the home of Mrs. Frank Point, W Clime-st.

This was the regular business meeting of the class.

MINSTER MAN PAROLLED FROM DAYTON WORKHOUSE

TOLEDO — Moved by the Christmas spirit the department of justice has granted the request of Frank J. Bernhold for temporary parole from the Dayton workhouse.

When the departmett was infomed by Bernhold, who is serving a term for bootlegging, that the stork is expected at his home in Minster, Ohio, telegraphic orders were issued and promptly complied with by George R. Weeks, deputy marshal here, to the effect that Bernhold be paroled for several days, not only because of the coming event but also because he has been a model prisoner.

HERE AND THERE IN DELPHOS

William Alexander has bought the Carey residence property on West Third-st. This was formerly part of the old Alexander estate. Alexander may remove the present house and replace it with a modern residence.

Collectors of taxes for Allen and Van Wert-cos will come to Delphos early in January to receive payments. The Allen-co collectors will be here Jan. 3 and 4 and the Van Wert-co collector Jan 9 and 10. The former will also collect at Elida Dec. 26 and at Spencerville Dec. 28.

An avalanche of Christmas cards and greetings has almost overwhelmed the force of clerks in the postoffice, and added to this heavy grist is a very largenumber of packages. The mail at this time is the heaviest in the history of Delphos office, Postmaster Truesdale says. Incoming mail about equals the outgoing, and between the two the postmaster and his assistants are having a very merry Christmas

VAN WERT NOTES

Judgment for $291.45 was given for plaintiff in the case of Albert C. Feigert and B. F. Hidenour against Chester A. Crow in Van Wert common pleas court after a jury trial. Suit was brought to recover commission claimed due for sale of Crow's farm of 92.28 acres in York-tp.

O. H. Rogers has been elected president of the Ridge-tp Farm bureau for 1924. Ira Jackson is vice-president and Earl Tingley secretary-treasurer. Over 400 persons attended the meeting at which the election was held. School pupils gave a Christmas program and L. R. Bonnewitz told of his recent trip to the Holy Land

Jacob Wyandot Pleasant tp, Van Wert-co, will retire from the office of township clerk Jan 1, 1924 after 19 years and one month of service. He is a veteran of the Civil war and yet active, but he wants a vacation. His successor will be William Johnson of Van Wert.

Miss Jeanette Fisher and Paul Korn were married by Rev. Henry P. Bucher Wednesday at 8 p. m. at his home on Bonnewitz-av, Van Wert. The bride is a daughter of Mrs. J. W. Camp of Van Wert and the groom is son of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Korn of Lima. The groom is a fireman on the Cincinnati Northern railroad, and after a honeymoon trip to Cleveland the couple will reside in Warren.

DELPHOS AND VENEDOCIA LODGES TO BE COMBINED

DELPHOS — Okonoxy lodge of Odd Fellows voted Friday night at a regular session of the order to accept the application of Venerocia lodge for consolidation with the Delphos organization. The question of consolidation has been under consideration several weeks. Monday night a committee from Okonoxy lodge visited the Venedocia lodge, made the required investigation, and reported favorably on the request. The consolidation will bring to Okonoxy lodge 20 new members, and besides this increase, the lodge will get all the regalia, piano, and other furniture of the Venedocia lodge which can be used or disposed of, as desired.

Then Venedocia lodge has 60 members, but the others have taken withdrawal cards to lodges in Ohio City, Spencerville, and other places.

Approval of the consolidation must be given by the grand lodge, to which the charter and seal of Venedocia lodge will be surrendered; but there is no doubt in the minds of Delphos Odd Fellows but that such approval will be granted.

COMMUNITY CLASS HOLDS CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION

DELPHOS — The home of Mr. and Mrs J. H. Stewart of 803 South Elm-st was scene of a happy gathering Friday night, when children of the Community Sunday school and other South Delphos children assembled there for Christmas festivities and to meet Mr. and Mrs. Santa Claus. Despite the rain there was a large attendance. A mounted herald called the children together at the Fair grocery, where Mr and Mrs Santa Claus awaited them and escorted them to the Stewart home. A Christmas tree with colored lights and other trimmings loaded with gifts for the guests was the center of attraction. The program included the following:

Christmas carols by the Young Ladies class of the Presbyterian church and the Radio class of the Methodist church, with Miss Esther Cordell at the organ, Rev. H. L. Geddes gave a short talk, Mrs John Traxler contributed a vocal solo. John Traxler gave recitations, a treat was distributed.

The program was in charge of Horine, superintendent of the Community Sunday school which holds its sessions at the William Albaugh home on West Clime-st Sundays at 1:20 p. m.

TED MUST WORK, RAIN OR NO RAIN

"Rain or no rain, I've got to keep on working," Ted said Saturday as he tarred a bushel basket over his head to keep off a few drops of rain from spoiling his new hat. "This kind of weather should be satisfactory to those who are all time complaining about the changeable climate. All it is doing now is raining," he added as he predicted that it will rain Saturday night and probably Sunday morning. "Colder but no snow," he concluded as he picked up his basket and went back to work.

SECOND PLEA OF GUILTY MADE

Second Member of Trio Admits Rum Running Charge

Donald Friend, crippled member of the alleged whiskey running trio captured Friday morning by Detectives Kipker and Keller after a two-mile chase on West-st in which three fusillades of shots were fired by police, Friday afternoon reversed his plea before Judge Neil R. Poling and admitted guilt to a charge of transportation of illicit liquor.

The court took his case under advisement with announcement that an investigation would be made before decision is pronounced as the man is so badly crippled that a stay in jail for any length of time might result disastrously.

The man is suffering with tuberculosis and his right ankle is so badly crippled that he has difficulty in walking. In a statement to Judge Poling, Friend said the whisky and gin were purchased in Detroit and were being taken to Dayton for sale. He gave the police some valuable information which is expected to let him off with a light sentence.

Chance remark to a Vaughnsville garagekeeper that "Lima is a tough town for whisky "runners" resulted in the capture of the trio here after an exciting chase during which police riddled their car with shots from a repeating shotgun.

The Vaughnsville man called police and said a cargo of whisky was being brought to Lima enroute to Dayton. Detective Inspector Kipker and Detective Keller laid in wait and trapped the trio with a 10-gallon keg of gin and a five-gallon keg of "moonshine."

Nelson Friend, uncle of Donald and Harry Friend, shouldered all the blame when the trio faced Judge Poling Friday morning. He admitted his guilt but no information was obtained until Donald Friend reversed his plea.

Harry Friend, the third member, is the only one who still maintains his innocence. All are in jail in default of bail.

Efforts to keep the automobile will be made by Police Chief Lanker despite the claims of Nelson Friend that the car is the property of a cousin, and he was using it only temporary without the owner knowing it was used in whisky running.

Under the state law automobiles utilized for transportation of illicit liquor are liable to confiscation and the local department will engage in civil action if necessary to retain the car as Nelson Friend admitted transportation.

Lanker has the illicit cargo of gin and "moonshine" locked up at headquarters pending final disposition of the case then he wil empty it in the sewer.

BENOY APPOINTED

COLUMBUS — Appointment of Wilbur E. Benoy, former assistant prosecutor of Franklin-co, as an assistant to the attorney general to succeed William J. Meyer, was announced tody by Attorney Genrlieds nounced today by Attorney General Crabbe. The appointment is effective January 1 when Meyer will retain to hit home at ortsmouth to practice law.

CITY TOO POOR TO INSPECT MEAT

Healther Sees Lack of Funds in Way of Proposal

DEFICIT NOW FACES BOARD

President Stolzenbach Thinks Some Method Needed

Lima should have regular meat inspection but won't have any money to pay for it next year such is the opinion of Charles Stolzenbach, president of the city board of health.

Stolzenbach, commenting to a News reporter on Toledo's edict passed by federal inspectors, said barring Lima meat unless it is some method of inspection should be provided here. He pointed out however, that the city health board faces a shortage of $10,000 in meeting expenses already anticipated for next year.

"It is simply a case of no funds with which to pay a meat inspector next year," said Stolzenbach. "There is not enough business in the city to enable the fees to meet the costs of inspection. The board believes there ought to be a rigid inspection of all meat slaughtered in the city and also of all meat used, that is, meat sold at retail in the local markets. But we won't have enough money to run the department as it is now, without creating any more work that costs money."

DEFICIT COMING

He pointed out that with the dawn of the fiscal year the health department faces a possible deficit of $10,560.98. The 1924 budget, prepared by City Manager Bingham, as city budget commissioner, showed a need of $16,000 to properly operate the health department next year. The county budget commission allowed $2,939.02.

Bingham estimated to the city commission recently that the health department would get $2,500 from sources other than taxes, these being inspection fees that permit costs. This makes a total of $5,439.02 that the board of health will have to meet an expected expenditure of $16,000.

With such a condition facing the board it is easily seen," said Stolzenbach, "that the board cannot create the office of meat inspector and require a constant and rigid inspection of all meats used or slaughtered in the city. If we could get enough fees, as Charles Ashton does in the plumbing inspection work, not only to pay the office, and inspection costs but to have a surplus, then we might talk about local meat inspection."

LEGLESS COUPLE CAUSE DIVORCE

Decree Won by Deserted Wife in Unusual Elopement

As a sequel tote romantic elopement of George A. Wollet, former railroad telegrapher, and Mrs. Edna Dodd, legless couple who fled the city together two years ago, Mrs Edna M. Wollet, obtained a divorce decre before Judge Fred C Becker, Saturday.

The decree was granted on grounds of cruel treatment, and the court took under consideration an application to bar Wollet in dower rights in property in 670 S. Union-st.

Wollet's flight with his legless sweetheart, was superinduced by a visit made by police to his home during his absence. The police dubbed Wollet "the legless bootlegger," on account of his activities.

Police are alleged to have found a still in Wollet's basement. The owner returned, and learned of the visit. He fled at once, taking with him Mrs. Dodd. The two escaped in a specially constructed touring car which was operated by hand levers.

A secret affection, which culminated in the elopement, sprang up between Mrs. Dodd and Wollet, when the former was given shelter in his home by Mrs. Wollet. Mrs. Dodd was ill at the time, but continued to live there after her recovery. She had one child, a boy.

George Wollet lost his legs in an accident in L. E. & W. railroad. Mrs. Dodd, a cigarmaker, lost hers in an accident at the Pennsylvania crossing in N. Main-st and she received a cash settlement from the railroad.

Mrs. Dodd later contracted two marriages. She was last summer married to Asher Dodd who was living in Cleveland at the time of the legless elopment.

After losing his legs, Wollet opened a cigar store in S. Main-st, and for a time enjoyed a lucrative trade among railroad men.

LISTENING-IN EXPENSIVE TO GERMAN RADIO FANS

BERLIN—Listening-in is expensive in Germany. The government doesn't permit anyone to have a machine for receiving wireless who doesn't pay a fee of 25 gold marks and obtain a permit from the police. The receiving machines now on sale in German shops average in price from 300 to 400 gold marks.

Until the middle of October the government regarded broadcasting with such suspicion that it was prohibited for amousement purposes, and the public was not permitted to have receivers.

For some time the postoffice department which controls wireless operations has had considerable income from a service called "Blitzfunk" which was supplied to banks and commercial concerns thruout the republic, and the desire to retain this income has apparently intertered with general permission to establish receiving stations.

Preparations are being made to supply hospitals, cafes and factories with operas, concerts, speeches and news report.

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W. J. BRYAN TAKES RAP AT FORD

Declares Manufacturer's Indorsement Will Hurt Coolidge

MIAMI, Fla.—(Associated Press)—William Jennings Bryan, candidate for delegate to the national Democratic convention from this state, issued a statement today in repard to Henry Ford's endorsement of President Coolidge in which he states that the reaction will hurt Coolidge instead of helping him.

The statement adds:

"Mr. Ford has been talked of as the candidate of the masses, his support coming from both Democrats and Republicans, who interpreted his candidacy as a protest against the reactionary policies of most of the Republican leaders and some of the Democratic leaders.

"Mr. Ford, as the millionaire champion of the poor people of the country would make an inspiring spectacle, but Mr. Ford loses his prominence when he joins with the rest of the big business men in support of a reactionary candidate.

"He will not carry with him any of the plutocrats, because they are already supporting Mr. Coolidge; the president's opposition to the excess profits tax made sure of their support, but Mr. Ford's desertion of the masses will create an irritation that will become more pronounced as the campaign approaches. The men who have difficulty in keeping their household expenditures within their incomes—the men who as a rule buy Ford cars—will resent the abandonment of their cause by one of the richest men in the country whom they regarded — mistakenly, it now seems—as their friend.

'His use of the word 'safe' in describing President Coolidge, will suggest a companion word 'sane' which usually accompanies the word 'safe' when used to describe public men. Those who talk of a 'safe and sane' candidate reflect upon the intelligence as well as upon the good purposes of the masses. President Coolidge will find Mr. Ford the most expensive booster who has yet climbed into the band-wagon; his action emphasizes the deepening division between those with big incomes and those with small incomes."

NEW 50,000 CITY HANGS FIRE

Water Power Project Seen as Aiding Sagebrush Site

SEATTLE—A city of 50,000 persons engaged in electro-chemical industries may rise on 6,000 acres of sagebrush beside the Columbia river, to exploit water power rivaling that of Niagara Falls, if success follows plans referred by the federal water power commission in Washington, D. C., to Col. W. J. Borden, army engineer for this district.

Such a city would stand at Priest Rapids, Wash., 150 miles east of Seattle, on the other side of the Cascade mountains.

A subsidiary of the General Electric Co. has applied to the commission for a license to construct a dam two miles long and 90 feet high, a dam declared here to be in blueprint half again as long as the barrier across the Mississippi river at Keokuk, Iowa.

It is proposed to develop 750,000 horsepower from the rapids, besides irrigating 100,000 acres of land in eastern Washington now devoted to sagebrush and bunch grass, but capable, according to experts, of yielding unsurpassed fruits and crops under irrigation. The soil is volcanic lava, ground to powder by age-gone glaciers.

The cost of the power development is put in the application at $41,000,000 and the cost of building the city at $12,000,000.

Miss Margaret McNeff of the city purchasing department left Saturday for Sidney, O., where she will spend Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. Burns and family of Pittsburg arrived in Lima Saturday to spend the Christmas holiday season with Mrs. Burns' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stolzenbach.

RUSSIA REPLIES TO HUGHES CHARGES

Secretary Challenged to Prove Revolutionary Propaganda

PAPERS CALLED FORGERY

Documents Produced at Washington Attacked

MOSCOW — (United Press) — Challenge to Secretary Hughes to produce "before any impartial court of arbitration" documents represented as communist propaganda for a revolution in the United States was uttered Friday by Foreign Minister Tchitcherin.

Tchitcherin demands conditional withdrawal of the documents by Hughes, unless the American secretary of state faces the arbitration court and proves his charges.

"Otherwise he will show the world he consciously made himself instrumental in broadcasting forged documents," the Russian minister says in a statement issued after he had read the full text of documents published in America and had conferred with the communists internationale to whom the alleged instructions were attributed.

Gregory Zinoviev, president of the communist internationale, and Sekloff, editor of the Isvestia, quoted in the documents, both declared the papers "ran forgeries."

FORGERY CHARGED

"Having acquainted myself with the contents of the Hughes documents," said Tschitcherin's statement. "I communicated with Zinoviev and Sekloff.

"On behalf of the soviet government as well as Sekloff and Zinoviev, I emphatically declare the documents are an unmitigated forgery, like the infamous 'Sissons papers'."

The latter were documents alleged to have been obtained in Moscow by Edgar G. Sisson, of the committee on public information in 1917 purporting to show that Lenin and Trotsky were paid agents of the German government.

"I challenge Secretary Hughes failing unconditional withdrawal of the documents, to produce them before any impartial court of arbitration, jointly agreed upon," the statement continued.

"By failing to do this, Secretary Hughes will show the whole world he consciously made himself instrumental in broadcasting forged documents.

"It is up to Secretary Hughes to acquit himself of these charges."

HUGHES STANDS PAT

WASHINGTON — (United Press) Secretary of State Hughes will neither withdraw nor submit to arbitration the documents he made public following his refusal to negotiate with soviet Russia, a high official of the state department said today.

This government is "fully convinced," it was said, that the documents are genuine, despite declaration of George Tchitcherin, soviet foreign minister, that they are forgeries.

PORTUGUESE PRESIDENT IS DEMOCRATIC PERSON

LISBON—Senhor Teixeira Gomes, the seventh president of the Portuguese republic, is attracting much attention from the people because of the democratic way in which he goes about his business.

He is reported to have said he does not wish to see his electors from behind the closed windows of his automobile; that he wants to be a president who thinks, talks and walks abroad like anyone else.

He has acquired the habit of taking a walk before breakfast, and when it was suggested to him that it was not the custom he is said to have replied "Well, from today on it will be."

To make his answer more emphatic he started for a walk in the park of Ajuda Palace and held a long conversation with a white-haired gardner who had not the slightest idea he was talking with the president of the republic.

The president was not aware that it was the custom for the police to closely guard his every move on such occasions as going to the theatre. One night noticing numerous squads of police saluting his car he inquired anxiously as to the reason for their appearance and if there had been any disturbance. Told of the custom of guarding the president he said:

"Then we'll take another route for a change," and the presidential car switched off to a side street causing consternation among the guards who had waited in vain for his coming along their posts.

SINGER SCORNS MARKS

DORTMUND — Emmy Leisner a Berlin soprano who was engaged to appear with the Dorimund Music society, refused to sing unless she was paid in foreign money or some sort of stable currency. As the management had only German paper money the concert had to be cancelled.

CROSSLEY'S FOR TOYS, 207 S. MAIN. OPEN EVENINGS.

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Mother-In-Law Scorns Working Girl, Is Claim

How she worked in a Cincinnati cigar factory, while in an aristocratic section of Dayton her mother-in-law lived in a palatial home and scorned her because she worked was related in common pleas court Saturday by Mrs. Capidola De Nyssens, 22, of 203 E. Spring-st.

Mrs. De Nyssens is seeking to divorce Roul De Nyssens, 42, washing machine salesman of Cincinnati. Her mother-in-law, she said, refused to allow them to live in Dayton because she did not want friends in her social circle to know her daughter-in-law was a working girl.

The plaintiff testified that De Nyssens hit her and choked her on two occasions.

Once was when she told him they would get along all right but for his mother's interference, and the other was when she urged him to get a man's job and go to work.

Judge Becker continued the case until corroborative witnesses could appear to testify.

SCRAP IRON SCRAP SCRAPPED

Judge Tells Scrappers Not to Scrap Any More

The Edleman-Miller junkyard fracas aired in criminal court Saturday resulted in Judge Neil Poling assessing a $50 fine against Edelman and then suspending the fine.

The trouble on Dec. 9 was just one of a number of fights in which the two have engaged for the past 10 years, it was brought out in court.

Miller charged Edleman with assaulting him and Edelman aired the same contention. A number of witnesses were called and their testimoney was to the effect that disagreement culminated over the price of scrap iron.

Miller accused Edelman and his son of "jumping" him without warning, and Edelman in turn accused Miller of assaulting him and threatening him with a spade.

Judge Poling fined Edelman but after a review of the testimony and conditions surrounding the case he suspended the fine and warned both not to appear again in his court.

CITY COMMISSIONERS TO MEET EARLY MONDAY

Owing to the fact that Monday evening is the night before Christmas, the city commissioners have agreed to meet at 5 p. m. Monday instead of waiting until 7 p. m., the regular meeting hour.

Glen Webb has made a request that he be given a chance to appear before the city commission Monday to discuss the cost of bonding taxicab owners under the provisions of the ordinance which became effective Oct. 15 but which ordinance has not yet been enforced.

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ELLON TAX PLAN IS ATTACKED

Wrong, Declares Prominent Democrat in Senate

HIFTS BURDEN TO POOR"

I Propose Substitute for Administration Bill

(BY FRASER EDWARDS)

ASHINGTON—(United Press) he Mellon tax plan is all wrong. designed to let the rich escape make the burdens of the poor ier

will not be enacted into law out a desperate struggle.

his is the postion of Senator mons North Carolina, ranking een it on the senate finance mittee

he house of representatives or- ates tax and appropriation bills, congressional history shows such bills ars usually rewritten heir essential particulars in the ate

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immons will propose a virtual titute for the administration bill when the matter comes into senate

ere is what Simmons wants.

axes which will force profiteers ear the heaviest proportion of burden

limination of "nuisance" taxes. eduction of taxes on all small mes

he soldier bonus

reservation of the high tax on incomes

The Democrats," Simmons said, opposed to untaxing the profit- There is as much profiteer- now as there was in war time. ought to tax it. We will, if sen- Democrats have anything to say t it The Mellon plan is de- ded by the millionaires and neers."

ERCULOSIS FATAL TO MISS GOLDIE ALLEN

ss Goldie Allen, 23, daughter r. and Mrs. William Allen, re- g two miles south of Kemp, Friday at the Tuberiulosis hos- She had been seriously ill for eeks

addition to the parents, three ers and two sisters survive. neral services will be held Sun- at 10 a. m, at the United Breth- church in Allentown Burial llentown cemetery.

AGENT ARRESTED ON EXTORTION CHARGE

EUBENVILLE — John O. Cole, rson-co dry agent operating the Richmond and New Alex- r "Kangaroo" courts and vig- istr prosecuting liquor trade in benville was arrested last night charge of extortion and held for ng next week under bond of 00.

e officer is sick in bed and could be moved. Friends posted the sary bond.

e affidavits, filed by Charles letti, of Piney Fork, charge Cole accepting an automobile for h Aprilettі paid $65 17 per h in payments, in order to re- protection.

INE SERENADES ARE LIKED ON W. ELM-ST

nine serenaders in the wee of the morning are not favor- received by Lima residents, es- lly when such concerts are before the usual rising hour. S. Metcalf-st a dog howled h for nearly a week, residents m a complaint to police who nced that the dog had escaped quest that the owner of a sing- og on W. Elm-st muzzle or the animal was made by one citizen who said he refuses to er have his sleep disturbed.

BARRELS OF WHISKY TAKEN BY BANDITS

LTIMORE —A score of armed and a fleet of trucks last night ed down on the Gwynbrook lery warehouses at Gwynbrook. Owings Mills, shackled the guards and broke into two or hree whisky stocked buildings arms of state, county and city and national guardsmen on cycle, last night scoured the and countryside for the fugi- who fled just in time to escape closing net

r men were captured in a mo- ck Half a dozen others es- amid a fussilade of shots, doning two trucks believed to been stolen from the Manhat- transportation Company, Phila- ia

re than forty barrels of whisky at $60,000, was stolen.

GLASSCOE CAPTURED

ward Glasscoe, colored, want- Findlay police on a charge of larceny of tools from a gar- was taken here Friday after- by police within two hours af- ord had been received to pick up He was returned to Find- aturday morning to answer to harge

AUTO CLAIMEMD

andoned automobile near 341 ibly st was claimed Friday by Crider, 831 Eureka-st. who police he parked the vehicle his gasoline supply became sted Police at first believed machine had been stolen and oned

YANKED OUT OF LOVE

rich young Whitney's father him away from one sweetheart another. Sunday's Detroit Free All news stands. McCandless C Districutor.

IZE FIGHTS FOR WOMEN

women seem to get such sat- g thrills from seeing pugilists el each other. Sunday's De- Free Press. Don't miss it. Mc- ess News Co. Distributor.

IMPROVING

Aaron Bice, of Spencerville, was operated upon at the City al this week, is reported to be ving slowly. The operation is ed to be a success

NEWSIES GET MESSAGE

Here's a message for the Lima Daily News newsies right from His Highness, Jackie Coogan, himself.

Jackie and the Lima Lodge of Elks have invited all the News newsies to attend Jackie Coogan's latest picture, "Long Live the King," at the Quilna theatre next Monday.

The man in the picture is Jackie's manager and he holds a case with the print of the film which the newsies will enjoy Monday. And the message which Jackie is handing to his manager says this for The News newsies.

"Merry Christmas to the Lima News newsies, and Lima Lodge of Elks, may you boys enjoy my latest picture. It s the best I ever appeared in"

MRS. I. A. ZAY IS HOSTESS TO CLASS

MRS. I. A ZAY, opened her home, 316 N Metcalf-st, Friday evening, entertaining the members of the King's Daughters class of the Central church of Christ at their annual Christmas party. Mrs Zay is the class teacher.

An informal evening was enjoyed. In the contest held, Miss Sly Patterson was succeesful. A Christmas exchange was the feature of the evening's entertainment, the guests finding gifts for them on an attractively decorated Christmas tree. Mrs. Zay served a two-course luncheon, assisted by Miss Helen Hamilton.

Guests othe rthan the members were Miss Helen Scheuffler and Miss Lenore Kerr

The next regular meeting of the class will be in January.

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Miss Mildred Phalen, W Circular-st, invited a group of friends to her home Saturday afternoon to assist her in celebrating her twelfth birthday anniversary. Contests were enjoyed in which Miss Mary Falk and Miss Blanche Langan were successful. At 4:30 o'clock, a two-course lúncheon was served by the hostess' mother, Mrs Lawrence Phalen, assisted by Mrs. James Phalen.

Guests were Misses Catherine Hahn, Rose Alma Phalen, Marie Hahn, Hary Falk, Alice and Lola Phalen, Blanche Langan, Odetta Vogel, Alice Sullivan, Louise Cardosi, Grace Malloy and Marie Ebner.

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Mrs Sanders Miller has returned from Rochester, Minn, where she has been under the care of the Drs. Mayo for some time.

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Mr and Mrs. Walter Stokes, W. Wayne-st, have gone to Detroit, where they will visit over Christmas with Mr. Stokes' parents.

WEEDS USED EXTENSIVELY AS CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS

CLEVELAND — Gilded and decorated in different colors, such weeds as pepper grass, teazle, milkweed and golden rod are competing in popular favor with plants and cut flowers for Christmas decorations in Cleveland.

The fad has sprung into an industry overnight Painted weeds are being displayed by nearly every florist in the city.

So keen has competition for certain kinds of weeds become that they are being shipped in from different parts of the state, according to A. T. Felton, who has turned his barn and green house into a weed painting factory.

Most of the painting is done with a fifty pound pressure gun, but some specimens, such as the interior of milkweed pods, must be decorated by hand. The decorated weeds are made up into boxes or baskets.

PREMIER OF GREECE HANDS IN RESIGNATION

ATHENS — Premier Gonatas of Greece resigned today.

Republicans demanded the resignation following their success in the elections but Gonatas at first announced the government would retain power until the national assembly had convened and elected its president.

Gonatas is leader of the liberal party which lost many seats in last week's elections.

ALCOHOL SEIZED

CLEVELAND.—Ten barrels of alcohol valued at $15,000, was seized while being loaded onto a truck from a freight car.

POPE'S PICTURE PAINTED

BERLIN — A portrait and statue of Pope Pius XI recently have been completed The former was painted by Ernst Heilemann, the Berlin artist, while the statue is the work of Prof. Theodor Georgi of Munich.

THEATERS

AT THE SIGMA

"In Search of a Thrill," starring Viola Dana, opens a three day engagement today at the Sigma theatre. Comedy and Sigma News.

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AT THE QUILNA

"The Acquittal" with Norman Kerry and Claire Windsor, is the Quilna's attraction for the final times today. News and Lyman H Howe's "Hodge Podge"

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AT THE MAJESTIC

Elsie Ferguson has the leading role in "The Outcast" at the Majestic for the last times today.

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AT THE LYRIC

"North of Hudson Bay' with Tom Mix, is the Lyric's offering again today. Added features.

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AT THE ORPHEUM

"Scandals of the Nile" appears for the final times today at the New Orpheum theatre.

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AT THE FAUROT

Keith vaudeville at the Faurot Opera House

REWARDS FOR ARREST OF KORETZ TO BE POSTED

CHICAGO —A reward of $1,000 for the arrest of Leo Koretz, charged with operating a $5,000,000 oil swindle, will be posted in every important city in the world, according to the authorities, who so far have announced the development of no tangible clue throwing light on his whereabouts after a two weeks' search

Meanwhile investigators are tracing long distance telephone calls from Koretz to a woman in New York for ten days prior to his departure from Chicago in the belief that his flight was arranged at that time. Police of Cairo, Egypt, have been asked to question a woman there with whom Koretz maintained a safe deposit box in a Chicago bank as to knowledge she may have of his movements

PREACHER TO BECOME CHIEF OF POLICE

PADUCAH Ky.—Citizens today were discussing the qualifications of the chief chosen to head the Paducah police force after the incoming city administration takes charge January 7 He is A W Leigh 36, a Baptist preacher, pastor of a church here, formerly a boilermaker employed by the Illinois Central railroad and sometimes volunteer assistant to officials in enforcement of the prohibition law

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LEGION WILL AID NEEDY FOLK

Former Soldiers at State Hospital to be Remembered

The family of every needy former service man in Lima will be remembered by the American Legion, which will play Santa Claus Christmas day.

Distribution of baskets will be made by the Ladies Auxiliary, it was announced by Franklin Cover, post commander, at a meeting of William Paul Gallagher post, Friday night.

Since the announcement was made a week ago that the Legion would bring Christmas cheer to homes of their comrades, Cover said he had received a number of contributions from persons outside the Legion who wanted to help.

One anonymous contributor donated $5. Members of the post Friday night raised $25. Former service men under treatment in Lima state hospital will be remembered.

The Legion held a big Christmas party at post club rooms Friday night, attended by 100 members. Presents were distributed from a Christmas tree, and a mock court martial staged, enabled members in the post who are lawyers to try out their oratorical powers.

$24,000,000 TO GO IN CHRISTMAS STOCKINGS

NEW YORK.—On Christmas Day $24,504,000 in gold will be found in the thousands of Christmas stockings hung up al over the country. The Federal Reserve system and the Federal Reserve Bank of New York in figures published, show that this amount was withdrawn during the week ending December 19 At the New York bank the withdrawals of gold amounted to $10,339,578, the largest ever recorded for the week preceding Christmas.

MARINE CORPS SUSPENDS RECRUITING INDEFINITELY

Recruiting for the U. S. marine corps, which has been in progress in Lima for four months past has been closed over the Christmas holidays. The office in the courthouse will be open but no applicants for enlistment will be taken until further orders, Sergeant Joseph Balla, declares.

Quota for the marine corps in the country is filled at the present time. About 5,000 men have been accepted in the past six months. Lima has proven a better recruiting point than any city in northern Ohio, save Cleveland, records show.

Army recruiting will still continue in Lima, the quota for that branch of service being still short.

WESTERN UNION MOVES FROM CITY BUILDING

Western Union offices, which have been located on the ground floor in the City building for a number of years, were moved Friday afternoon to the company's new home in the Ashton block, W. Market and S. Elizabeth-sts.

Moving of the Western Union offices from the City hall causes the first vacancy in the building. The Central Building & Loan Association will oson move to new quarters on the north side of High-st, almost directly across from the water department offices

Members of the present city commission last October advertised for the rental of offices in the building during 1924, but only two were received. City officials hoped by competitive bidding to raise the rent for 1924, but there was no competitive bidding and now it will be up to the new city commission to rent the offices, present commissioners say.

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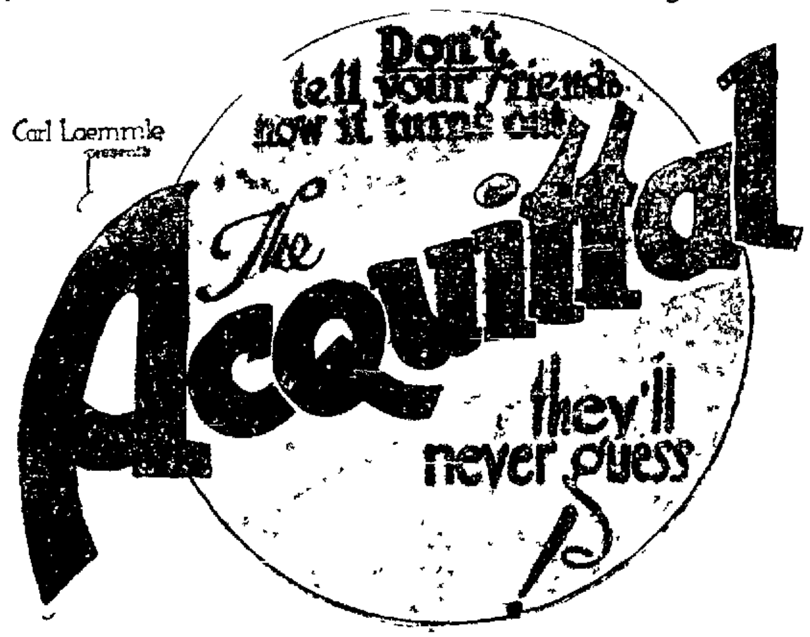

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INJUN DEVIL

THE most cunning and intelligent of all animals is the carcajou—a half-wolf prowler of the Far North. Woodsmen call it the Injun Devil.

The Injun Devil follows a few miles behind a fur trapper, springing traps as fast as they are set. A trapper may toil a whole winter and at the end of the season have nothing to show for his labors, the Injun Devil having followed and counteracted the trapper's work. As with the trapper in the accompanying pen-picture by Artist Satterfield.

So cunning is the Injun Devil that it even holds a stick in its mouth to spring traps without injuring itself.

The Injun Devils reminds us of militarists and others who forever follow the constructors and destroy. It is natural law, tho, for tearing-down to balance the building-up.

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AN EXHAUSTED MINE

WITH King Tut practically out of the way, Egypt is about exhausted in the matter of digging up pages of the forgotten past. For archaeologists, Egypt is a mine that's almost worked out.

From now on, the important excavations you'll read about will be in Palestine. A recent digging there brings to light an engraved stone claiming the Israelites wandered 40 years before reaching the Promised Land for the very simple reason that the Promised Land, Palestine, during the 40 years was policed by Egyptian troops. As soon as the field was clear, they entered. So claims the discoverer of the stone, Prof. Clarence Fisher.

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ILLUSIONS MAKE LIFE WORTH WHILE

THE late William Allan Pinkerton, veteran detective, scoffed at the romantic detective of fiction. He claimed detective work is a dull business, success depending more on patient thoroness than on Sherlock Holmes cunning. This notion is confirmed by reading the various memoirs of his father, the famous Allan Pinkerton, and yet old Allan was as able a detective as his century produced.

Romance, after all, is an illusion—a phantom of imagination. Guard your illusions, young people. The cynics would shatter them, but illusions are what make life worth living.

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STOCK IN THE FUTURE

TO look into the future a few years and know where to place financial bets, requires powers akin to clairvoyance.

For instance, the rubber industry in our country has doubled in size in the last six years. Only a few men had the vision to foresee this, and that's one reason why 10 companies now produce 60 per cent of our total production of rubber goods.

Have you bought any airplane stock for your grandchildren?

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ANOTHER BUSINESS TIP

INDIA cables that its foreign trade revival, which began in September, is gaining headway steadily. India's a long way off, but this may be important news for America. Some economists believe that India, for reasons unknown, is the source of world economic movements. The international price crash, which brought hard times to all countries several years back, started in India, spread to Japan where the raw silk market collapsed, then out over the world.

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NEW BOOZE CARRIER

THE latest liquor carrier is a phoney cigar, hollow. It carries one drink. Big sales. When you notice the extremes people have to go to, in order to get liquor and carry it without being detected, you wonder if prohibition is as big a failure as the press agents of the wets claim. Price, of course, is the real gauge. Whisky at $10 a quart looks like desert stuff to us.

BRYAN'S WEEKLY BIBLE TALK

"The Universal Reign of Christ"

BY WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN

When we analyze the wide range of subjects we have studied in the Bible Talks in the year soon to end, we find three subjects running thru them all—express or implied—God, Christ, and the Bible. I do not know that we can better close the year than by devoting today's talk to these three subjects.

First as to God; there are four attitudes which men assume in regard to the Supreme Being.

The atheist denies that there is a God and seeks to explain the universe, including animate as well as inanimate things, by materialistic arguments.

I have not thought it worth while to spend any time in refuting the reasoning of the atheist. The evidences of a God, all-wise, all-powerful and all-loving, are so overwhelming that comparatively few human beings have ever been reckless enough to declare themselves atheists. While a talented atheist may gather about him an occasional follower, he is a negligible quantity and, by his very unreasonableness drives more people to open defense of God than he draws away.

A DANGEROUS GROUP

In a second group are found the agnostics, who are much more numerous and much more dangerous.

By saying, "I do not know," the agnostic takes refuge in ignorance, and by asserting a desire for knowledge he conciliates where the atheist antagonizes. Agnosticism is the state in which one is most apt to find himself when he departs from orthodox beliefs concerning God.

Darwin illustrates the logical path followed by dissenters and the final attitude of mind of a skeptic. He said, just before his death:

"The mystery of the beginning of all things is insoluble by us, and I for one, must be content to remain an agnostic."

The third group contains the pantheists—those who build their belief upon the assumption that God is in everything—not a separate and distinct entity, but an inseparable part of all things animate and inanimate.

Professor Leuba of Bryn Mawr College is one of the best known representatives of this school. He denies the existence of a personal God or a personal immortality and declares, upon letters received by him from the leading scientists of the United States, that a majority of them share his beliefs.

Buddhism is an expression of the idea. Nirvana is the Buddhist's heaven—the individual spirit dissolving into the spirit of the universe as "the dew drop, dissolves into the sea."

THE CHRISTIAN GROUP

Christians belong to the fourth group.

The Christian believes in a personal God—not a being of flesh and blood, visible to the eye, discernible to the senses or inhabiting a locality which can be defined and described, but a spiritual Being as real as if He were evident to our bodily senses. The existence of this Supreme Being is proven as conclusively as other things of which we have no doubt. Belief in the Bible's God is reasonable because the existence of such a God furnishes the only explanation of the phenomena about us.

We believe Him infinite in power because the things that He does require the exercise of a power beyond the ability of the imagination to conceive. We believe Him infinite in wisdom because only an immeasurable Intelligence could direct the measureless power which He manifests. We believe Him all-loving because His goodness is infinite in its depth and breadth.

If there is a Creator, with infinite attributes, who built the world upon a plan and directs it in accord with His purpose, then man, the climax of creation, is a part of God's plan and here with a work to do. A natural process of reasoning brings us to the conclusion that man's first desire should be to know God's will and his chief pleasure should be found in obeying those laws which the Heavenly Father has made for man's highest good and greatest happiness.

A REASONABLE BELIEF

We have also assumed that Christ actually lived—a Saviour sent down from heaven to redeem man by His blood and to reveal the Heavenly Father to His children. This, too, is a reasonable belief.

We have a record of what He said and did and was—an undisputed record. There is no known fact that has been discovered during the nineteen centuries that have since elapsed that casts a shadow of doubt upon any material phase of His life or teaching.

He was conceived of the Holy Ghost and born of the virgin Mary. This is the record of Matthew and Luke and there is nothing to contradict the record. We have His teachings that could not have come from any other source because there was no other source from which such teachings could be drawn.

There was no store house in the past which could supply them; there were no people living in His time from whom He could learn the truths which He proclaimed ,and no one has lived since who could have supplied them.

When we see a mountain range which no human power could build, we are not foolish enough to deny that it is the handiwork of God—even the atheist will attribute it to natural forces that are more than human. When we see a moral code that rises as high above human wisdom as the mountains do above the sea—a moral code which all the wise men of the world have been unable to add to or take from—why should we hesitate to admit that the Author was divine? Why not employ in religious matters the common sense that we use for the problems of daily life?

SIN CANNOT BE IGNORED

Sin is in the world—its presence can neither be denied nor ignored. Man is the only created thing that does not live up to its possibilities. How can we doubt that sin is inherent when we see it flourishing in spite of all the intelligence and moral efforts of today?

A few days ago a distinguished citizen of Great Britain came to this country and in a two-hour address gave a catalog of our national sins—sins conspicuous enough to be seen three thousand miles away. This morning's paper gives a dispatch from London quoting from a report given by a Middlesex committee on education from which I take this extract:

"All the boys seem to think about is 'rowdyism' and smoking cheap cigarettes, while the girls' chief interest seems to be walking about the streets until they find a youth willing to buy them a seat at the movies.

"Their minds are blankly incapable of continued intelligent application, and consequently ready to respond to any evil impressions."

Here we have an indictment of one country and a confession from another, and we cannot believe these countries worse than others. Many adults in all countries violate both the moral and state laws. The fact is that sin is universal among men. Is it unreasonable that a God who would permit sin to enter the world would provide a means to escape from sin?

IF CHRIST WERE BUT A MAN

The coming of Christ as a Saviour would seem to be the most natural thing conceivable and the reasonableness of His coming is confirmed by the fact that the story of Jesus, translated into every tongue, has touched the heart of the world.

If Christ were but a man, it would be natural to think of Him as one born of a human father as well as of a human mother and it would be natural to measure Him by the rules applied to man, even to the extent of expecting Him to remain in the tomb when finally dead and buried. But we have only to take Him out of the man class and put Him into the God class to be able to understand His supernatural birth, His unique ministry and His bodily resurrection.

If He were but a man, we would expect wiser men to arise and make improvements in His code of morals and His philosophy of life. But, being the only begotten Son of God and co-equal with God, we are not surprised to find in Him the greatest fact in history and the growing figure of all time.

When once we behold Him as He is, all that the Bible says of Him becomes reasonable—it would be unreasonable if it were different.

ATHEIST AND BIBLE

And so with the infallibility of the Bible; it is natural that an atheist should deny the inspiration of the Bible because there can be no Word of God unless there is a God to speak the word; there can be no revealed will of God unless there is a god with a will to reveal. It would be unreasonable in an atheist to deny the existence of a God and then accept the Bible as a divine authority or Christ as the Son of God.

Likewise, the agnostic as naturally rejects the Bible. He can not be convinced of the Bible's veracity until he is first convinced that there is a God—inspiration is impossible without a Supreme Being to inspire.

Neither can the agnostic be expected to credit what the Bible says about Christ, since Christ's divinity presupposes the existence of the Bible's God.

Pantheists cannot consistently accept the Bible as a truthful book, because from beginning to end the Bible represents God as a spiritual Being, entirely separate and apart from His handiwork.

THE BIBLE'S REASONABLENESS

The reasonableness of the Bible depends, therefore, upon the point of view of the one who does the reasoning. If the first premise is false, the conclusion cannot be sound and, from the Christian's standpoint, the first premise of the atheist, the agnostic and the pantheist is false.

We must start by assuming something; the materialists starts with matter and force. He does not try to explain where matter and force came from, when they came, why they came, or how they came. His reasoning begins with the proposition: Matter and force are here—and then he tries to convince himself that force working on matter made the world and that somehow—he does not know how—all that we see and know, including life, came into being by some process which he cannot explain.

If the materialist has a right to begin by assuming the existence of matter and force, without explaining them, how can he deny to the Christian the right to begin with God, even tho the finite mind is not able to comprehend an Infinite Being? If one starts with the assumption that God really exists, the rest of the reasoning is perfectly logical and has been convincing to millions of the best minds that have appeared in the world.

THE GREATER MIRACLE

Nearly every intelligent human being has, upon the evidence obtainable, believed in a God. Thousands of millions have, during the last nineteen centuries, believed in Christ as the Bible presents Him, and hundreds of millions have experienced in their own hearts a change so revolutionary that they have no difficulty in believing the miracle recorded in Holy Writ.

The Bible miracles are not as mysterious or as marvelous as the miracle that is wrought when one is led by the Holy Spirit to hate the things he once loved and to love the things he once hated. What seems more incredible than that a selfish heart should be filled with a passion for service?

It is unreasonable for a blind man to deny that the world is beautiful, merely because he cannot see; it is just as unreasonable for those who deny God, reject Christ, and discard the Bible to contend that God cannot give strength to those who trust Him, that Christ cannot save those who accept Him, and that the Bible will not enlighten those who will follow its teachings.

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WITH APOLOGIES

BY OH, OH, JACKENRIM

A Page from the Diary of An Antiquated Reporter: Up, and down to fresh radishes, and a rasher of bacon, with a straight up. December. Not as of yore. Or as often. A milky haze morn. Fog. Rain. Mud. Trees, with here, there, lingering leaves. Isolated, yet strugglingly clinging to their mother-branch. They too, must give up. As you do. And I. And we.

Grass, green as in May. Barberry hedges in bloom, the little berries Christmas red with cheer. Dandelions peeping, as tho fearful, to come forth. Sloppy, water-soaked streets. The tang of a light April shower.

Timmerman's dinner bell, tolling a dirge. Of five dollars down. Street cleaners in the business section. Trying the impossible on dear old Main-st. An ex-bartender, peddling toy ropes.

The orgreish lucentness of 12c store patrons. Evergreens. She dropped her sister's Christmas present. And the pave turned carmine.

Cheap perfume. How did I overlook that hole in my sock? And its duplicate on the other ankle. Hose for Christmas. I'll take a chance and wait.

Charlie Rumbaugh, the veteran Hanna-Hall lieutenant of two decades agone. City Hall. Bert Ogleshee moving out. The new Kommish will be three democrats, two repubs. Will Rohn vote right, or lose his bank job? He will. Paradoxical. Three democrats, two republicans With a republican city manager. There are no politics in city manager forms.

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To the shoppe, whence came James J. Snyder, oldest brick maker in Ohio. Made 'em in Lima, when the town was 3,500. Read The Lima News for twenty years. And still does, after seven years in Ottawa

M'sieur Leech, the eminent architect. I'll drop into the Academy. Prof. Hume up. Minor Van Pelt, songster and popular raconteur. With a bag of new tales. Nifty. Scenic. As full of laughs as a water melon party on Emancipation day.

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Joe Fisher, the popular philosopher. Soon to open a By-Appointment-Only college in the Steiner-block. Manicure. Permanents. Curls. And 'rything. I'll reserve the twilight hour.

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The bundle croudes increase. Santa now on time and a half. A cigar store, where they say you can get a drink. We need a law to protect dry enforcement officers. Scotch in Edinburgh is sixteen shillings, six pence. It's cheaper in Detroit, New York and Miami.

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The easy camaraderie of mothers. Holding tots to the toy windows. I saw a camel I'd like myself. A rich carpenter. And a poor bank clerk. When all the horses have been abandoned. Wonder if Henry Ford will put on an attachment to make fertilizer.

Here's The Spot. Now for a raw beef sandwich. And feel like a he-man.

In Lima Churches Sunday

Bethany Lutheran church, Spring and Pierce-sts, W. C. Spayde, pastor. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m G. D. Borchers, superintendent; Miss Gladys Baker, Junior and Intermediate; Mrs. H. A. Slonecker, Primary Special Christmas offering at this service. Morning service at 10 o'clock. Sermon subject, "The Real Meaning of Christmas." Gifts of canned fruits and vegetables, dried fruits, soap, etc., will be brought as a donation to the Oesterlen Orphans Home throughout the day.

Special Christmas entertainment under the auspices of the Sunday school at 7 p. m.

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Pentecostal Assembly of God, corner Union and Market-sts. Thos. Lee, 133 E. North-st, pastor. Sunday school 1:30 p. m. Pentecostal services 2:30. Evangelistic services Sunday night 7: 30. Mid-week prayer and praise services every Tuesday and Friday night 7:30.

On Christmas day we will serve a free dinner to the poor of Lima. Everybody welcome. Dinner will be served from 11 to 2. Anyone wanting to attend, and who cannot walk, can call Rice-4227, and a conveyance will be sent to the home.

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St. Paul's Lutheran Mission, St. Johns-rd, C. H. Eckhardt, pastor. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Howard Mayer, superintendent. In the evening, beginning at 7 p. m., the Sunday school will render an appropriate Christmas service.

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St. Matthews Lutheran church, near Cridersville, C. H. Eckhard, pastor. Sunday school at 9 a. m. J. F. Login, superintendent. Main service at 10:30 a. m. Monday evening, beginning at 7 o'clock, Christmas will be celebrated by the Sunday school.

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First Reformed church. Sunday school 9 a. m. F. Zeits, superintendent. Morning worship 10:15 a. m. Theme, "The Song and the Star." Christmas program Sunday evening 7:30. Christmas service Tuesday morning 10 a. m.

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First United Brethren church, corner Spring and Union-sts. W. H. Howard, pastor. Sunday school 9 a. m. W. J. Keys, superintendent. Dr. King, superintendent of Otterbein Home, will address us at 10:15 a. m. The C. E. will render a program at 7 p. m. Santa Claus will be here Tuesday evening and special program has been arranged. Prayer meeting Thursday 7:30 p. m.

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First Christian church. This is Christmas Sunday with us and the public is extended a cordial invitation to join with us. Special features are selections from "The Messiah," by Miss Gregg and Miss Finicle, in the morning, and by Alfred Shumate in the evening. The pastor speaks in the morning on "The Name JESUS." In the evening he will deliver a story sermon—"The Mansion." Church school at 9:15 a. m. Morning church service 10:15. Christmas Endeavor at 6 p. m. Christmas lessons in all departments. Evening church service at 7 p. m.

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Christ Church, (Episcopal.) North and West-sts. Rev. Victor A. Smith, rector. Sunday (Fourth Sunday in Advent). Holy Communion 7:30. Church school 9:30. Morning prayer with sermon 10:45. Evening lecture 7. Monday, Christmas Eve., midnight service of Christmas, 11:30 p. m. Tuesday, Christmas day, plain celebration of Holy Communion, 9:30 a. m. Wednesday, St. Stephens' Day, Holy Communion 9:30 a. m. Thursday, St. John Evangelist Day, Holy Communion 9:30 a. m. Friday, Holy Innocents' Day, Holy Communion 9:30 a. m.

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Market-st Presbyterian church, Market and West-sts Samuel Huecker, minister. Sunday school, 9:15, E. Owen, superintendent. Morning worship, 10:45. Sermon subject: "The Kingship of Jesus." Y. P. S. C. E. at 5:45 p. m. Christmas program by the Sunday school at 6:45 p. m. Mid-week service Thursday, 7.15 p. m.

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South Side Church of Christ, Central-av and Kibby-st. W. H. Baker, pastor. Bible school at 9 a. m. W. E. Parlette, superintendent. Worship and service at 10:30 a. m. Subject of sermon, "Good Tidings of Great Joy." Christian Endeavor at 6 p. m. Instead of the sermon at 7 p. m. the Intermediate church will render a Christmas cantata. These are a fine lot of young people and they have a most excellent program for this occasion. Prayer and praise service Thursday evening at 7:30.

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Grace M. E. church, Kibby and Elizabeth-sts. Sunday school, 9 a. m. F. M. Botkin, superintendent. A Christmas program will be given by the Sunday school in the place of the preaching service at 10:30. Baptism and reception of members at this service. Epworth league and class meeting at 6 p. m. Public service at 7 p. m. Sermon: "The New World Order." Mid week service Thursday, 7:30 p. m. D. N. Kelly, pastor.

Second Church of Christ, Scientist, Mezzanine floor, Lima House. Sunday morning service at 11. Subject, "Is the Universe, Including Man, Evolved by Atomic Force?" Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Wednesday evening testimony meeting at 8 o'clock. Reading room at same location open from 1 to 5 p. m.

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First Church of Christ, Scientist, 553 W. Market-st. Services Sunday at 10:45 a. m. Subject: "Is the Universe, Including Man, Evolved by Atomic Force?" Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Wednesday evening testimony meeting at 7:30. Reading room at church, open every day except Sunday and legal holidays, from 11 a. m. to 5 p. m. The public is welcome to al services and to the reading room. This church is a branch of the Mother church, the First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.

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First Baptist church, High and McDonel-sts. Warren L. Steeves, pastor. Bible school 9:15, O. N. Young, superintendent. Morning worship, 10:30. Subject, "The Spirit of Christmas." Junior B. Y. P. U. 3 p. m. Senior B. Y. P. U. 6 p. m. Evening worship 7 o'clock. Cantata, "The Star of Hope," by the choir. Sermon subject, "How Far is Lima From Bethlehem Tonight?" Baptism preceding this service. Teachers training class Tuesday evening 7 to 8 o'clock. Prayer and praise service Thursday evening 7:30.

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Christian Missionary Alliance, S. Elizabeth-st, near Circular. I. H. Patterson, pastor. 9:15, Sunday school; 10:30, morning worship, subject, "Christmas Message." 6:30, Young People's meeting; 7:30, evangelistic meeting, "A Question of Vital Importance." Mid-week prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

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Epworth M. E., Bellefontaine and Harrison-avs. Suiday school, 9:15 a. m., followed by Christmas program. Epworth league, 6 p. m.. At 7:30 the choir, under the direction of Mrs. James Basden, will give a beautiful Cantata, "The Christ Child," text by Rene Bonner, music by H. W. Petrie. Our Christmas offering is to help rebuild Japan. Mid-week services, Thursday, 7 p. m., followed by choir rehearsal.

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High St. U. B. Church, High and Cole-sts. Pastor, J. B. Bovey, 1124 Richie-av. 9:15, Sunday school, Wesley Bowers, superintendent. The Christmas offering will go to the Otterbein Home for children and aged people. Miss Agapipa Obaldo, a missionary will speak at 10:30 a. m. on the subject "Christmas in the Philippines." 3:00 p. m., Juniors they will bring presents for the children at the Otterbein Home. 6:00 p. m., Senior and Intermediate Endeavorers.

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Trinity M. E. church, Market and West-sts, Charles A. Rowand, minister. Bible school at 9:15 a. m. Prof R. E. Offenhauer, superintendent. Morning worship at 10:30, theme "World Peace." Epworth League at 6 p. m. Evening worship at 7 o'clock. The Young People's class will give the dramatization of the story by Raymond Alden entitled "Why the Chimes Rang," published by the Bobbs Merrill Co. It is a beautiful one-act play in charge of Miss Helen Meredith. A New Years prayer and praise service Thursday evening at 7:30.

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Central Church of Christ, 525 W. North. G. B. Townsend, minister. A. G. Bell, assistant. Bible school 9:15 a. m., Irvil C. Brentlinger, superintendent. White Gifts for the King at 10 a. m. Christmas lesson by the pastor, "Why Christ Came." Special music by the choir. Communion service. C. E. service 6 p. m. Evening service: Cantata "When Santa Listened In." Church night, Thursday 7 p. m.

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Immanuel Evangelical Lutheran church, Jackson and Kibby-sts. Karl R. Trautmann, pastor. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. German preaching service at 8:45 a. m. English preaching service at 8:45 a. m. English service at 10:30 a. m. On Christmas day the following services will be held: Matin service with German sermon at 6 a. m.; Divine worship with English sermon at 10:30 a. m.; children's service at 7 p. m.

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First Church of Biblical Spiritualism. Over Dime Savings Bank, 130 1-2 S. Main. Services Sunday 2:30 and 7:30. 2:30 p. m. subject, "The Need of Christianity." 7:30 p. m. subject, "Faith." Mrs. E. E. Brown pastor. Messages follow each service. Thursday message service 2:30 p. m. and 7:30 p. m.

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Second Baptist church. Sunday school 9:30 a. m., W. A. Baker, superintendent. Morning worship 10:45 a. m. Christmas message by pastor on subject, "Loved and Gave"; B. Y. P. U. p. m., Chas. Clarke, president. Evening worship 7:30. Special numbers by the choir and sermon by pastor. Sunday school Christmas program Monday evening 8 p. m. Wednesday evening December 26, a union baptizing with Fourth St Baptist church will be held at our church.

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Olivet Presbyterian, Elizabeth and Kibby, Otis Harter, Minister. Sunday school 9:15, E. L. Malone, superintendent. Morning service 10:30. Mr. Harter will preach a Christmas sermon. Evening service 7. Program by the Sunday School: "His Star in the East." Christmas Endeavor meeting 6 p. m. The music at the morning service will include The Christmas Song by Harry Rowe Shelley, to be sung by Mrs. Andrew Schultz and Miss Maud Miller.

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First Congregational church, 113 S. Elizabeth-st. Rev. Arthur F. Ludbeck minister. Sunday school 9:30 A. J. Welty, Superintendent. Public worship 10:30. Christmas sermon by minister. Appropriate music by quartet. Sunday School Christmas program Monday evening at 7 o'clock.

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Grand-av M. E. church. Rev. Samuel Paulding and A. A. Thomas, pastors. Sabbath school 9:15 a. m., Kittie McKay, superintendent. Preaching at 10:15 a. m. by Rev. A. A. Thomas, "A Christmas Sermon." Prayer meeting on Wednesday at 7 p. m. Men's Bible class Sunday at 2:30 p. m. Christmas entertainment with special program by the Sunday school Sunday at 7 p. m.

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Fourth Street Baptist church, 122 W. Fourth-st, Rev Leroy McGee, pastor. Sunday school 9:30 a m., Robert H. Siler, superintendent Morning service at 11 a. m., subject "The Child of Jesus." Special program at 3 p. m. by the choir, Invocation. Duet, Sybyl and Mrs Hattie Abbott; Reading, Oro Smith; Cornet solo, Mr Allen Youngblood; Reading, Mrs. Beulah Galloway; Trio, Mrs. Mary Young, Willis Wheatley, Ora Smith; song by the choir; Reading, Mrs. Allen Youngblood; Solo, by Mr. Elmer Brown; Reading, Mrs. Charlotte Searles; Song, Ladies Quartette of St. Paul A. M. E. church. B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 p m., Love L Altman, pres. Preaching at 8 p. m., subject "The Prince of Peace."

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St. Paul's Lutheran church, North and Elizabeth-sts, F. W. Rohlfing, D. D. pastor. Sunday school at 9:30. M. A. Reese, superintendent. Senior department, Miss Grace Kruse, superintendent primary department. Service at 10:30. Special music by the choir, Mrs. Dorothea Davison, director. Sermon theme, "Christmas Cares, Thanksgiving and Peace." All afternoon services omitted, to be resumed next Sunday. Children's program Christmas Eve. Early Christmas services at 6 00. Bring your white gifts Christmas Eve and Christmas morning.

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Calvary Reformed church, Richie-av., near Jameson, E. Bruce Jacobs, minister. Sunday school, 9:15 a. m., D. R. Cantieny, superintendent Morning service 10:30 a. m., sermon, theme "The Meaning of the Incarnation." At 6 p. m. the children of the Sunday school will present a specially arranged Christmas program in connection with a White Gift service. Mid-week service Thursday at 7:30 p. m.

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LITTLE INTEREST SHOWN IN APPROACHING OLYMPIAD

Uptown Basketeers Get On Winning End In Ragged Game Against Gomer Five

Discontent And Little Enthusiasm Is Shown For Olympic Contests

(BY HENRY L. FARRELL)

NEW YORK — (United Press) — The passive interest that some of the prominent American athletes are taking in the Olympic games in Paris next summer is beginning to cause the American committee concern.

Difficulty in raising sufficient funds to finance the trip to Paris was considered the principal worry of the committee until evidence was found that many of the star athletes are in need of some enthusiasm.

The hockey players were the first to show symptoms of a lack of interest in the games. Several of the best players who should be counted upon as the strength of the American hockey team, refused to acept after they had been appointed.

The situation became so serious that officials of the hockey governing body threatened to draft players and permanently bar from competition those who refused to make the trip without first class reasons.

Pressure of private business has been advanced as a reason why Billy Johnston, California star and one of the world's greatest tennis players cannot go to Paris with the American team.

Bill Tilden, the world's greatest tennis player, now says that he does not want to join the team as he regards the Davis cup matches as more important and he feels that he would go stale after a lot of European competition.

Several track and field athletes at Yale, Harvard and Princeton were counted upon, not only as members of the team but sure point winners. It is reported now that they will not "go out" for the team. They consider meets with Oxford and Cambridge, which have become annual events, as of more importance to them that the Olympic games.

America's best strength in the rowing will not be available because Yale, Harvard, and perhaps another eastern university will not enter crews in the trial events. Yale and Harvard consider their annual regatta as of vastly more importance than the Olympic games. They could not even consider changing the date for their race to make it more convenient for the Olympic committee to stage its trials.

The feeling of many of the veteran track and field stars is represented in the attitude of Pat McDonald, the star weight man of several Olympics "With the 56-pound cut off the program, I believe I will stay out of it. I can't win the shot put" MacDonald said.

STILL WANT HORNSBY

NEW YORK — (United Press) —We are still interested in Rogers Hornsby and we will listen to an offer from St. Louis if it is reasonable" John McGraw, manager of the Giants, said on his return from Europe.

"Frisch, Jackson, and Young will be given in any deal," he said.

McGraw said the Giants would train next spring in Sarasota, Fla., where John Ringling, the circus king, has extensive real estate holdings.

Ringling has built a hotel for the players and a field larger than the Polo Grounds.

McGraw also intimated that Frank Frisch would be rewarded for his brilliant work last year, by being named captain of the team and with a substantial raise over the $12,000 salary that his expired contract called for.

NEW YORK — (By Associated Press)—Further plans for mustering America's full athletic strength for the 1924 Olympics and promotion of the national campaign to raise $350,000 to defray the expenses of the team are among the details expected to be considered today at a meeting of the executive committee of the American Olympic Committee.

French Crack Racer Is Coming

NEW YORK—Pierre Wertheimer, owner of Epinard, crack French three year old race horse, sails Saturday for France. While no definite agreement between Mr. Wertheimer and American horse owners, the prospects for a series of races between the French champion and the best of the American horses next year are bright.

Indications are that Epinard will be brought to America in July and trained here for his fall tests. Mr. Wertheimer and Major August Belmont discussed a proposed racing program for Epinard of three events, the first at three quarters of a mile, the second at a mile and the third at a mile and a quarter. Epinard, under the plan, would run his first race in the open sweepstakes at Belmont Park in the Autumn, in which he would meet the pick of American sprinters.

The advisability of running one of the races over the Kentucky Jockey Club circuit was discussed. The French sportsman said such an arrangement would please him as he is anxious to have his horse seen in as many sections of the country as possible.

SIDNEY AUTOMOBILE IS DAMAGED IN COLLISION

Automobile driven by M. J. Whitney of Central Fire department, was considerably damaged Friday in a collision with another car driven by J. Davis, 953 Bellefontaine-av., it was reported to police.

Whitney said he was driving south on Central-av, when his car was struck by Davis' automobile which was going west on Elm-st.

News Want Ads for Results

BOWLING

ELKS' LEAGUE

Marshalls

McFarland	174	122	212
Conkle	212	158	155
Kugleman	177	168	183
Reese	147	134	180
Ferry	158	149	135
Totals	868	731	865

Keating Kleaners

Current	176	[illegible]	155
Block	163	177	165
Shelley	160	197	146
Geise	197	200	143
Hardesty	201	190	195
Totals	897	860	840

Cadillac Sales

Bowdle	200	169	172
Sealts	218	182	183
Stolly	165	170	168
Johns	148	179	168
Goodrick	226	187	189
Totals	960	887	880

Bernhard Boilers

Johnson	168	182	118
Thompson	182	143	167
Lorentz	165	146	160
Fenton	188	198	159
Schimpf	169	212	157
Totals	872	881	791

Bantas

Coon	156	179	181
McClain	166	159	182
Kruskamp	190	242	149
Willett	170	171	170
Durbin	167	191	180
Totals	849	942	862

Crawford's Bootery

Pierce	148	-44	123
Crawford	195	193	159
Lindesmith	14[illegible]	188	197
Shirk	180	186	204
Snyder	184	152	188
Totals	859	862	871

CITY LEAGUE

Recreation Alleys

Buckeye Pipe Line

D. Collett	152	125	176
P. Stickney	145	165	181
C. Collett	169	146	138
Piper	257	159	174
Blind	132	149	115
Totals	845	794	800

Quinn Decorating Co.

R. Fettercff	188	231	152
Steele	201	223	157
McSword	144	177	120
Simpson	177	128	142
Moorhead	1775	137	147
Totals	885	896	748

Hudson

Brunk	200	141	162
Snyder	139	186	212
Clevenger	145	166	143
Fetter	150	147	146
Morris	126	160	189
Totals	760	800	852

Team totals 2412.

Consumers

Kennedy	153	110	128
Stowdp	123	120	144
O Connor	125	144	125
Henson	143	183	169
Fitzpatrick	160	170	149
Totals	782	888	81[illegible]

Team totals 2152.

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Smiley	173	181	[illegible]
Howell	141	106	167
McManus	175	202	214
Cady	163	136	159
Ages	155	141	179
Totals	810	766	924

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Recreation Alleys

The Little Odins and Bantas took 3 straight games, putting them in first place by 7 points. The Bantas also had high total for 3 games with 2705 and Cole's Specials high single game with 958. Ed McLain had high single game with 245, also high total for 3 games with 604.

ALL STAR LEAGUE

Recreation Alleys

Heffner	173	178	158
D. Chenowith	200	150	191
G Chenowith	171	210	158
Walsh	140	141	156
Day	176	137	143
Totals	866	725	606

Little Odin

McFarland	201	186	147
Fisher	191	149	167
Ferry	188	190	174
Burke	137	188	175
Dyke	201	198	152
Totals	819	909	815

Sigma

Bowdle	149	150	172
Seaks	144	163	170
Stolly	177	181	132
Ritzler	134	134	157
Goodrick	202	136	190
Totals	804	814	801

Bernard Boilers

Johnson	193	152	193
Thompson	167	195	138
Lindeman	123	200	180
Daley	124	222	170
Schimpf	173	164	151
Totals	782	88	815

Harley Davison

Havens	182	160	164
Miehls	176	168	195
Keis	183	199	163
Sheley	171	168	135
Hardesty	170	158	182
Totals	877	833	830

Cole's Specials

Pro'ast	216	195	144
Betts	193	171	156
Reid	171	180	181
Grady	151	127	172
Smiley	227	148	166
Totals	858	821	819

Bantas

McClain	189	245	170
Kruskamp	155	202	183
Neeley	200	141	154
Blind	143	158	215
Durbin	157	176	181
Totals	874	925	903

Crawford Bootery

Mitchell	168	147	186
Stepleton	165	165	150
Lindesmith	169	159	157
Shirk	149	202	222
Snyder	162	183	178
Totals	812	856	893

INDUSTRIAL LEAGUE

"Y" Alleys

Ohans

Foster	163	166	174
Davis	91	153	184
Hughes	15[illegible]	118	131
Hall	171	164	147
Traensell	158	152	151
Totals	778	693	763

Ohio Power

Flickinger	171	130	118
Mooney	17[illegible]	158	179
Edgecomb	[illegible]	145	141
Bullock	102	120	12[illegible]
King	124	150	[illegible]
Totals	702	723	676

Ohio Power Y's Men

Foling	153	152	141
Fitzgerald	113	152	123
Steiner	91	179	193
Jordan	146	124	12[illegible]
Shreeves	146	171	[illegible]
Totals	651	778	741

L. E. & W.

Willet	166	146	190
Custer	141	125	140
Stewart	191	157	[illegible]
Neely	135	160	[illegible]
Dyke	207	224	[illegible]
Totals	841	812	774

STANDARD OIL LEAGUE

Broadway Alleys

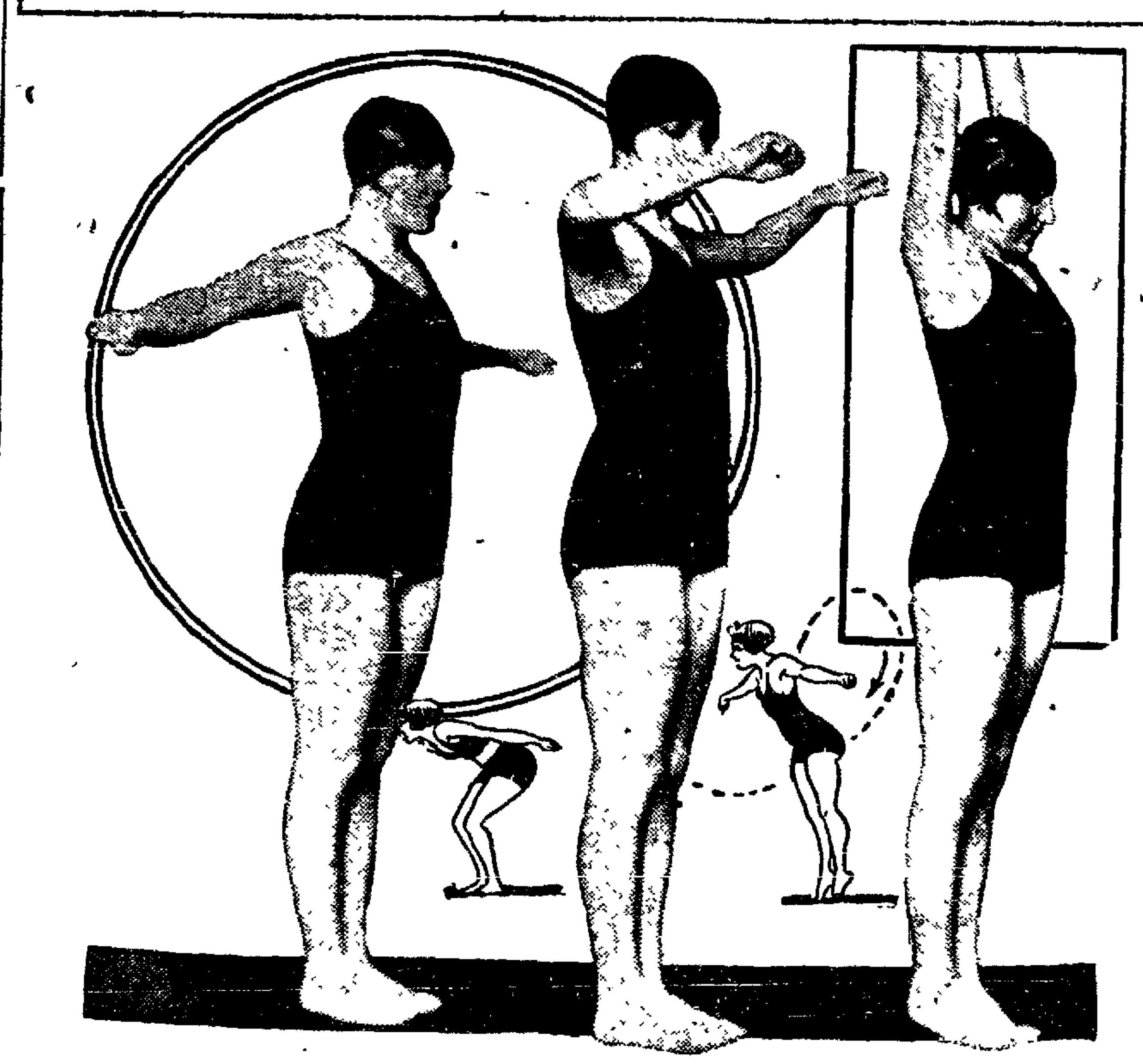
Red Crown

Jackson	77	113	137
McAtee	125	[illegible]	[illegible]
Bassett	141	79	106
Liddle	99	112	[illegible]
Price	146	114	106
Vermillion	112	126	171
Ludwig	58	58	91
Gossard	152	115	13[illegible]
White	..	179	151
Totals	904	1054	1120

Polerines

Smith	110	126	[illegible]
North	13[illegible]	137	[illegible]
Hall	95	172	115
Buckley	99	111	104
Kaufman	73	76	129
Cook	121	11[illegible]	118
Crider	59	118	113
Baughman	85	108	110
Weaver	130	63	79
Totals	906	990	1042

THREE WATER NYMPHS WHO PROFIT BY NEW RACING DIVE



MARY WEST, FAMOUS SWIMMER, IN THREE POSES OF NEW DIVE. NO. 1—STARTING POSITION. NO. 2—AFTER CIRCULAR ARM MOTION. NO. 3—FINAL POSITION BEFORE THE DIVE OFF. FIRST SKETCH ILLUSTRATES OLD STYLE DIVE. SECOND SKETCH, COACH PETERSON'S LATEST INNOVATION.

SAN FRANCISCO — Height plus forcible speed will equal new world records.

This is the theory upon which Gus Peterson, local swimming coach and trainer of international note, has perfected a new racing dive after months of study and experimentation.

"Pete" should know, for he has trained or assisted in training many swimmers from novitiate to championship, among them being Frances Cawles and Ludy Langer.

"By actual experiments I have found that my present pupils are able to make much quicker time on short distances when they use the new dive," says Pete.

"If swimmers of the champion class make a proportionate gain on time—and there's no reason to believe they won't—you can expect to see the 25 yards done in less than 10 seconds, and other short-distance records smashed."

Racers using Peterson's dive do not hit the water as soon as do crouch divers. Instead they gain diving distance, greater gavity force, and an added momentum from an upward arm swing.

First position of the new dive is erect, with arms extended to the sides on a line running slightly downward from the shoulders, fists clenched.

At the starter's "ready" the fists and arms are brought forcibly back in a circular motion, scarcely rising above the shoulders at any point. At the same time the elbows are bent until the hands reach a point forward of the shoulders and slightly above their level.

The arms and hands then continue upward without any break in the motion until they are extended above the head in correct diving position.

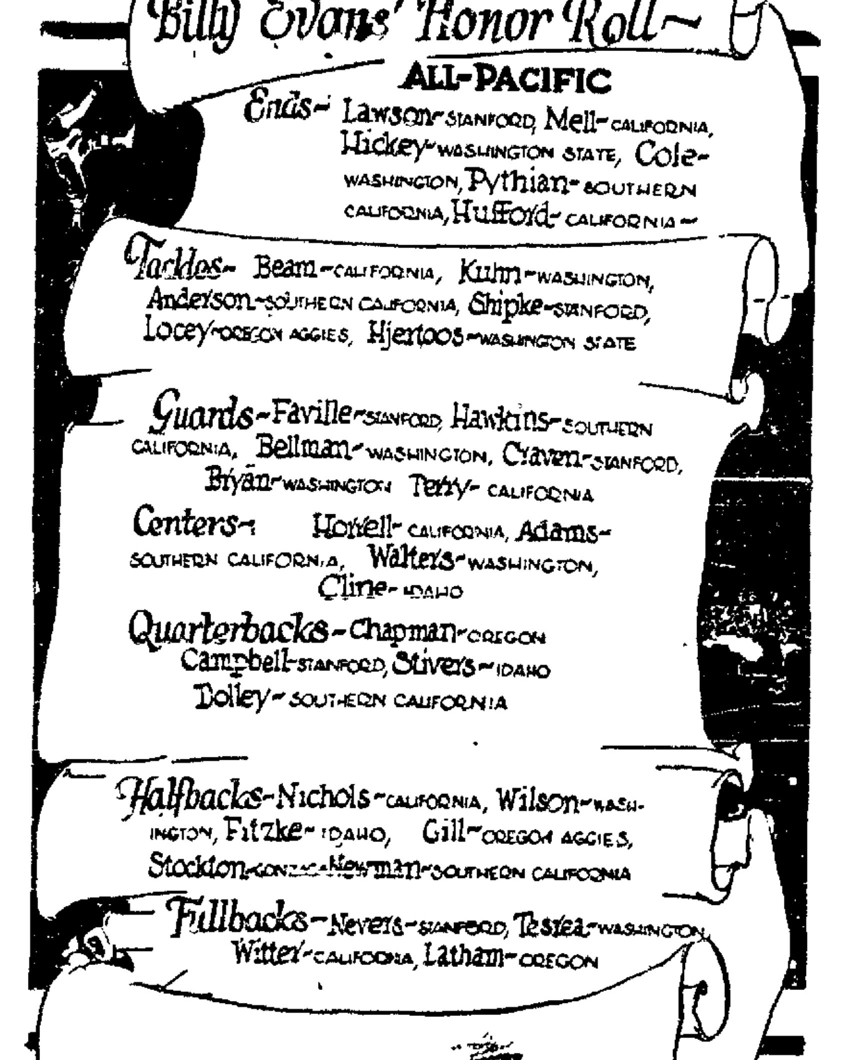
MAY BETTER RECORDS

Peterson has calculated the time necessary for these movements so that it coincides with the elapsed time between the starter's "ready" and "go." Thus the racer, without hesitation in the motion, slightly bends or relaxes the knees as his arms approach full extension, and dives forward coincidentally with the word "go," but without waiting for it. This retains the full force added thru the upward arm motion.

The diver enters the water at a distance of some seven to nine feet from the starting spot and can, in races where desirable, stay under for a distance of approximately 30 feet, the momentum of the dive supplying most of the power for that distance.

Also, declares Peterson, a little practice will give perfection in regulating the depth or shallowness of the dive.

Local swimmers are watching Pete's experiments with interest, seeing in them a probability of lowering not only long-distance records, but also materially bettering the time in relay events.



While California once more showed the way on the Pacific Coast, it being the fourth time in succession that Coach Andy Smith's proteges have won the honors in that section, competition was far keener than usual. California didn't win without a struggle.

The Billy Evans All-Pacific Honor Roll is the selection of a score of experts from that section.

Outstanding players among those selected were Nichols of California for halfback, Faville of Stanford for a guard position, Beam of California at tackle and Nevers of Stanford at full back.

At the other position: there seemed to be but little to choose among the players selected by the writers to grace the honor roll. In many cases only one or two votes was the margin of difference.

In Squared Circle

PARIS—(Associated Press)—The council of the French boxing federation has formally deprived Eugene Criqui of the featherweight championship of France, conferring it upon Edouard Mascart, who last Tuesday night defeated Henri Hebrans of Belgium. The council, which recently decided that because of Criqui's inability to meet Mascart because of injuries the latter boxer should be proclaimed champion if he defeated Hebrans, has given Criqui the right of priority in challenging for the title in the future.

FATE DECREED

Had not fate, in the form of an extended theatrical engagement, intervened "Wild Bill" Donovan, manager of the New Haven Baseball Club, who was killed December 9 in the wreck of the Twentieth Century Limited at Forsyth, N. Y., would now have been on his honeymoon.

This was learned today on the arrival of the Leviathan of Peggy Bacon, an actress, who said she and the baseball man were engaged to marry. Miss Bacon said she had originally planned to sail on the Majestic on its last westbound trip. The wedding was to have taken place on her arrival, December 11, she said.

"Bill wouldn't have been on that train had I been on the Majestic," Miss Bacon said. "He would have been in New York awaiting me and his wedding."

Among The Cagers

ADA, Ohio. — (Special to The Lima News) — Ada's city team, Kear's Clowns, nosed out Jim Thorpe's Oorang Indians in a fast game played here Thursday night on the high school floor. The score was 32-27.

The Indians led at the end of the first half, 17-13, but towards the latter part of the game the Ada players began connecting with the basket and finally won out.

Lingrel a former Ohio Wesleyan man who played with the Indians, was the star of the game. He caged eight goals from the field. Smythe, of Ada, had four fielders and three free throws to his credit.

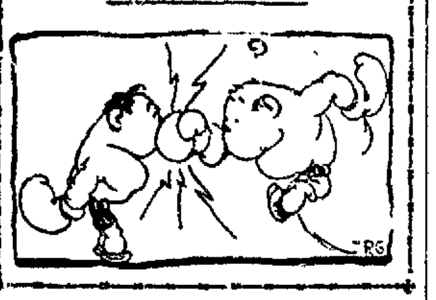
The summary

CLOWNS (32)	Pos.	Indians (27)
Smythe	RF	Red Fox
Foster	LF	Boutwell
Miller	C	Lingrell
Morehead	RG	Calac
Spellman	LG	Powell

Field goals—Smythe 4, Foster 3, Miller 3, Morehead 2, Spellman 1, Boutwell 2, Lingrel 8, Powell 2. Free throws—Smythe 3, Spellman 1, Lingrel 1. Referee—McElroy.

NEW YORK—Kid Williams of Baltimore, former world's bantamweight champion, who is making a comeback attempt, will box Danny Lee, protege of Benny Leonard, tonight in a 12 round match.

SNAPPY SPORTS



The deal is off so far as The Cincinnati Reds getting control of the Indianapolis franchise in the American association is concerned. Officials while they have a high opinion of Jack Hendricks, believe that there would be too great an amount of money involved. They state that the Indianapolis park is in very poor condition and proper repairs of this item alone would involve too much money.

Connie Mack announces the unconditional release of Clarence "Tillie" Walker, from the Athletics. Waivers were asked on him some time ago Walker went to the Athletics from Boston in 118, and for several seasons was one of the heaviest hitters on the team. In 121 he made a total of 37 home runs. He is 34 years of age.

George Sisler believes that he and Urban Shocker can get along fine and he expects some sensational work out of the pitcher during the coming season. Sisler is in California, trying to recover from his eye affliction. He expresses himself that Shocker is the best pitcher in the American league.

Charley White, who made good his comeback when he boxed Bobby Barrett, will most likely get a return bout with Pat Moran. He has signed to go against that tough Philadelphia lad Nate Goldman, following that, if he gets the better of the argument it is quite likely he will have his wish gratified against Pat Moran. It is thought he was over confident in his last battle and will box more carefully if they ever do get together again.

The New York state athletic commission have started a warfare against gambling. They will issue an edict that all persons caught betting or who are known to be professional gamblers be barred from all boxing shows. There is also a movement to segregate the judges from everybody except the timer, who must be six feet away. The commission believes there is apt to be influences at work in handing down close decisions. But what the ——.

The Southern Wisconsin boxing association was formed in Janesville Friday. Incorporation papers have been filed with the secretary of state. Bouts will be held in the Wilson theatre at Beloit. The incorporaters are John D. Wenstrom, Joseph L. Pox and Joseph Rochelcau, all of Janesville.

Central Team Wins Caging Contest

Sheer grit and determination proved victor over brawn and experience at Central Hi Gym Friday evening when Central's five won its first game of the season from the speedy Gomer outfit by a 24 to 22 score.

The game was nothing unusual. It showed no exceptional basketball skill on the part of either team, altho each tried hard to pierce the line to the net in the last few minutes of play Central managing to do so, winning the game.

Handicapped by lack of practice and a green team the uptown boys found it necessary to summon their best fighting ability and they did so with the result that Gomer found itself outplayed. Thruout the first half the red and green showed a stiff defense altho the offense was not so good.

Gomer attempted hard to get the ball into scoring territory, but the work of Fritz, Taylor and Stanyer held them down to 8 points. Meanwhile the Central team had rung up 17 markers. With such a lead to work on the locals were quite confident of victory, but a sudden spurt in which Vandmark, Gomer center starred, brought the score to a tie. Thruout the rest of the half the teams battled hard the score never varying more than two points.

With three or four minutes to play and the score 22-21 in Central's favor, Floyd, opposing guard had a chance to score on two foul shots called on Bash but he failed. Soon after Vandemark hit the basket for a counter and Macdonald, Central center, put the game on ice for the locals when he took Taylor's short pass and sunk the ball.

Taylor of Central and Vandemark of Gomer were luminaries of the game. Taylor's guarding was done well while he also managed to make three baskets and a pair of fouls. Vandemark reached the hoop six times for fielders and tossed in three from the foul line.

The summary

CENTRAL

	FG	Foul	P	T	TP
Bash lf	3	2	3	1	8
Westfall rf (c)	[illegible]	0	2	1	[illegible]
Macdonald c	2	[illegible]	1	0	4
Fritz lg	0	0	1	0	0
Taylor, rg	3	2	1	0	8
Totals	10	4	8	2	24

GOMER

	FG	Foul	P	T	TP
Sharitts lf	[illegible]	2	2	1	8
William rf	0	0	1	0	[illegible]
Vandemark c	6	[illegible]	2	1	1[illegible]
Floyd rg	0	0	1	0	[illegible]
McGinnis, lg	0	0	3	1	0
Totals	9	5	0	3	21

Summary: Substitutions, Stanyer for Fritz, Fritz for Stanyer, Hunter for Fritz. [illegible] quarters—10 minutes. Referee Waller. Scorer—Seeley. Timer—Swisher.

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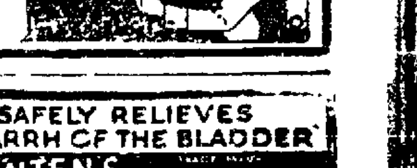

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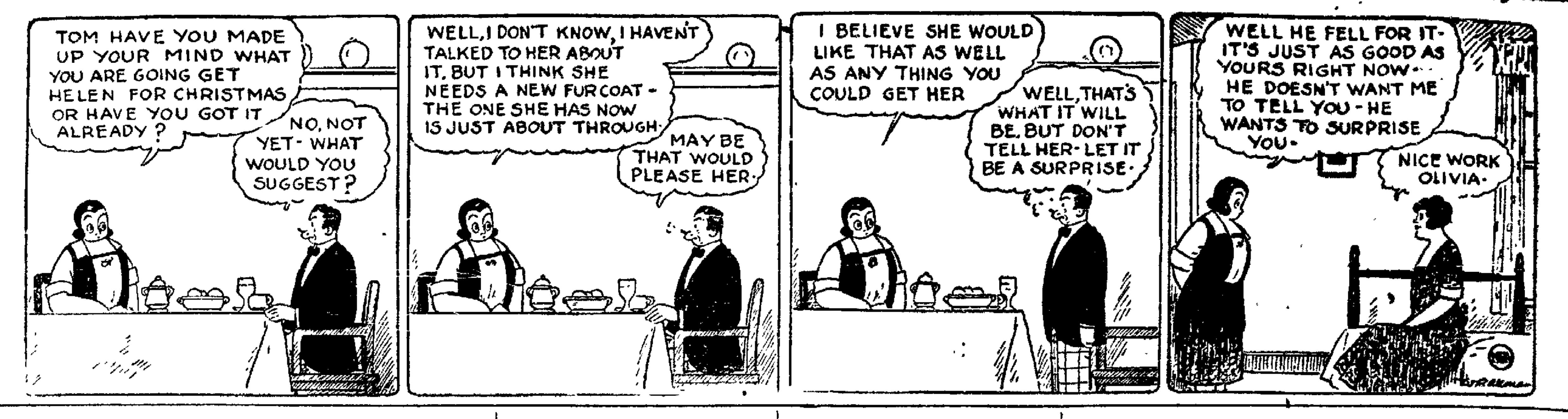

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3 LOST AND FOUND

LOST — WRIST WATCH. ELGIN make on ribbon band, monogram F. M. C. Finder call Main 2832. Reward.

LOST—PAY ENVELOPE WITH NAME Harold Myers on top. Return to Deisel Co. office.

LOST OR STOLEN—DEC. 18, 2 COON hound dogs, one black and tan female hound 4 years old, one black and tan and white male hounds 3 years old. Call J. B. Murray, 923 E. High. Rice 1372.

LOST—33x4 TIRE AND RIM ON First St between Main and Greenlawn or on Greenlawn between First and Vine. Finder return to 737 Greenlawn.

LOST—A PAIR OF DARK RIMMED glasses in brown leather case. Call Main 4282.

6 MALE HELP

WANTED—BOY OVER 14 YEARS TO carry north end route. Apply to Circulation Manager, Lima News.

WANTED—BOY TO DELIVER PAPERS to newstands, must report for work by 3 o'clock Apply to Circulation Manager, Lima News.

REPRESENTATIVES WANTED—CAN make $10 a day selling Automotive Journal for $2.50 per year with a Free Premium, worth $2.50; full or spare time Address Box 993, care of News.

DRAFTSMEN — FIRST CLASS LAYout men on sheet metal working machines. Apply to H. Collier Smith, President The Quickwork Company, St. Marys, Ohio, any time this week including evenings, Saturday afternoon or Sunday.

8 PERSONALS

LADIES—I POSITIVELY GUARANTEE my great successful "Monthly" Compound. Safety relieves some of longest, most obstinate abnormal cases in 3 to 5 days. No harm, pain or interference with work Mail $2, double strength, $4.00. Booklet free. Write today. Dr. L. N. Southington Remedy Co., Kansas City, Mo.

10 MISCELLANEOUS WANTED

WANTED TO BUY

FURNITURE AND STOVES
212 S. Main St.

Main 4354

WANTED TO BUY—MALE SCOTCH collie. Address Box 979, stating whether registered and price.

WANTED TO RENT—OFFICE ROOMS either single or suite of two or three. Inquire Room No 3, Sherwood Bldg.

WANTED—SMALL SCREW CUTTING lathe, either foot power or power driven. The Radio Shop, 213 W. High.

11 MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE

COAL

West Virginia Lump and Kentucky Block Coal
$7.75 per Ton
MAIN 7529
DOMESTIC COAL CO.
1009 E. HIGH

FOR SALE—CANARY BIRDS. 568 Hazel Ave., or call Lake 6146.

FOR SALE

I have seven slightly used Hoover Sweepers in good condition, will sell reasonable. See E. E. Rechl, The Hoover Man, at Bluem's.

FOR SALE—WOOD AT THE E. Holmes Lumber Co. Lake 3252.

BUY EATMORE

Potato Chips for socials and parties, at your grocery. For bulk, call Lake 5091.

A COW USES HER FEED FOR TWO purposes First, as fuel to maintain the body. Second, to make milk. That's why you must feed a balanced ration. Purina Cow Chow is balanced and mixed by experts. CLARK'S CASH FEED STORE
123 E. Spring St.
Phone Main 6194 We Deliver

15 BIRDS. PHONE LAKE 2864

FOR SALE—ONE FINE OLD CREmonia violin and table Brunswick Victrola cheap. High 6535.

FOR SALE—DIAMOND 2¼ KARAT, an exceptionally fine stone and beautiful white mounting, will sell for $675 cash for quick sale. Call Ohio Music Co., successors to the Maus Piano Co., 404-410 N. Main.

11 MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE 11 MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE

GIVE LUGGAGE FOR XMAS

PRICES ARE LOWER HERE!

A gift that will last—substantial Bags and Suit Cases—Come now! Christmas will soon be here!

KELLY BROS. LEATHER CO.

209 E. Market St.

Coal Coal

Egg, Lump, P. O. M., Ohio, Kentucky, W. Virginia, Pocahontas

Service—Main 2001—Quality

LIMA BEVERAGE & SUPPLY CO.

MICHIGAN APPLES

12 varieties at $1.00 per basket and up. Less than bushel lots if desired. Sweet Cider made every day. Pears 75c per basket. Kalamazoo celery 35c per bunch. Florida Oranges 35c per dozen. Open day and night.

Patterson & Wright

822 South Main Street

WE EXTEND THE CHRISTMAS GREETINGS

to our many friends and customers. We will have plenty of choice apples and good cider for Sunday, Dec. 23, at the usual price. Eat apples and be healthy. 2½ miles south of Hume.

F. C. ROMSHE & SONS

FOR SALE—COAL AND WOOD range stove. Call at 1108 S. Union St. or phone Lake 7907.

FOR SALE—MODEL VI VICTROLA, in good condition. Will sell for $20. Call at 120 N. Baxter St.

FOR SALE—EXTRA GOOD HAND made violin. Call Park 6400.

PURE CANDIES DIRECT FROM THE KITCHENS TO YOUR HOME

5 lb. Box Best Chocolates $2.00
Peanut Clusters ....45c lb.
Chocolate Coated Peanuts...50c lb.
Chocolate Coated Marshmallows ....50c lb.
Chocolate Cherry Creams....50c lb.
Pure Sugar Wafers, assorted flavors ....50c lb.
Pure Sugar Hard Mix.......30c lb.

P. O. BOX 436, LIMA, OHIO

FOR SALE — MAYNARD PLAYER Piano with Bench, Scarf, Music Rolls, and roll cabinet. Must be sold at once, owner leaving city. This Piano is almost like new. Will sacrifice sale at $275.00. Can be seen at 408 N. Main Street, now in storage at Ohio Music Co.

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FOR SALE—1½ HORSE POWER gasoline. Price $35. Phone Main 1806 Like new

12 HOUSEHOLD GOODS

FOR SALE—DINING ROOM SUITE, bed room suite, davenport, library table, rockers, sectional book case and base burner Call State 2681. Majestic Apartments, No. 7.

FOR SALE—KITCHEN CABINET, large size. High 6771

FOR SALE—ANTIQUES, BREAKfast tables and chairs, bureaus, stands, 7 foot poster bed, many other good things 128 S. Pine.

CASH PAID
for
STOVES AND FURNITURE

T. M. EDWARDS
Lake 1560 448 S. Main St.
Open Evenings

13 ROOMS FOR RENT

FOR RENT—2 ROOMS FURNISHED for light housekeeping, at 113½ E. Spring Main 4170

FOR RENT — 2 FURNISHED rooms for light housekeeping. Close in. Call Rice 6586.

FOR RENT—SUITE OF LIGHT housekeeping rooms at 226 N. Pierce. High 1876

FOR RENT—2 LIGHT HOUSEKEEPing rooms, all modern Rice 2756

FOR RENT—2 UNFURNISHED rooms at 232 E. 3rd St

Fresh
MICHIGAN GRAPE JUICE
and
SWEET CIDER
Phone High 1532

13 ROOMS FOR RENT

FOR RENT—2 DOWNSTAIRS FURnished light housekeeping rooms. modern 126 W. Spring

FOR RENT—2 FURNISHED ROOMS for light housekeeping, modern. 469 E. Pearl St

FOR RENT—TWO FURNISHED rooms for light housekeeping, modern. 118 N. Jackson.

FOR RENT—TWO ROOMS FURNISHed for light housekeeping, steam heat, private entrance. 43½ Public Square. State 2040

FOR RENT—2 SLEEPING ROOMS strictly modern; use of phone, at 129 Euclid Ave

FOR RENT—2 NICELY FURNISHED rooms on first floor, modern conveniences, close to shops. Call 726 S. Metcalf. High 5982.

FOR RENT—NICE ENTIRELY MODern sleeping room for a man near business district, rent reasonable Phone Lake 1683.

FOR RENT—2 FURNISHED ROOMS for light housekeeping, all modern; adults only 908 S. Elizabeth.

ROOMS FOR LIGHT HOUSEKEEPing, everything furnished. 132 S. Collett

16 HOUSES FOR RENT

FOR RENT—IN WEST END; HALF of double house, modern with garage Main 3727 after 5.30. Call Main 5603.

FOR RENT — 4 ROOM FURNISHED house, modern except furnace, $35.00 per month. Call State 6067.

FOR RENT — 8 ROOM MODERN house. 717 W. Spring. Call West 6479 between 9 a. m. and 4:30 p m.

FOR RENT OR SALE—2 OF THE most modern 7 room residences in the city exclusive west end; attached garage, tile bath with shower, and sun parlor. For appointment call Main 6752 after 5:30 Main 1669.

18 Apartments and Flats for Rent

FOR RENT—4 ROOM APARTMENT, adults only. Rent $45.00 Kitchen gas and heat furnished Phone 7576.

LAVERNE APTS.

The only exclusive light housekeeping block in the city. 2 and 3 room suites for light house-keeping. Strictly modern, front and rear entrance. Newly decorated and furnished. Hot and cold running water in kitchen; and use of phone.

B. S. FLOWERS

PROPRIETOR

329 N. Elizabeth St. Main 7206

FOR RENT—NEWLY DECORATED modern 5 room apartment, heated 115 South Metcalf. State 1175.

FOR RENT—APARTMENT. MODERN in every respect, steam heat, hot water, laundry and locker tile bath, gas range, refrigerator, hardwood floors, newly decorated, garage for one car, vacant Jan 1st, 1924 Call Main 6871.

20 MISCELLANEOUS FOR RENT

FOR RENT—GARAGE AT 226 N Pierce. High 1876.

23 LIVE STOCK

FOR SALE OR FOR TRADE—FOUR horses for any other kind of stock. Inquire of V. W. Kohl. Hoover & Bond Co.

24 POULTRY AND PET STOCK

LOOK—FOXTERRIER PUPS, REAL Christmas gifts. For sale today. Virgil Hammons, 112 S. Central Ave

27 PROFESSIONAL NOTICES

TO THE RUPTURED

Let us demonstrate the famous finger cushion pad—rupture supporter. Fitted at the Krauss office 232½ N Main St Phone, Res Main 1649—Home. Rice 2680

For Satisfactory Stenographic Service
CALL MAIN 7576
INEZ A. AVERY
417 Opera House Block
Shorthand or Oral Dictation
Copy Work—Addressing—Tabulating

28 BUSINESS NOTICES

Holland Furnace Co.

WE REPAIR ANY MAKE OF FURNACE

Main 3579 232 N. Union St.

28 BUSINESS NOTICES

Men's Half Soles 65c
Ladies' Half Soles 60c
Goodyear Wingfoot Rubber Heels 40c
Panther Rubber Heels 25c
Panco Soles 75c
We Vulcanize Rubber Boots
Work Guaranteed

EPSTEIN SHOE REPAIR
Successor S. Bream 219 S Main St.

SPECIAL RATES

Cleaning and Pressing, Men's and Women's Suits, each Monday and Friday, $1.00

I. S. SIMMONS, Mgr.
114 W. Spring

Try

BLATTNER'S

Liberal Credit Terms

SAM'L G. BLATTNER

229-231 S. Main St.

RADIATOR REPAIRING

SPOUTING FURNACES

S. D. Shoemaker

406 S. Elizabeth St.

High 7573

31 TRANSFER AND STORAGE

YOUNG BROS.

Local and Long Distance
Big Covered Trucks for
MOVING AND CRATING
Expert Packer. Every load insured.
Office, Rice 2429. Res. Lake 6014
Office 118 E. Market St.

I. W. SAKEMILLER

Local and long distance moving. fireproof storage, experienced packer. 316 E. Elm St. Phone State 1423.

FOR LONG DISTANCE HAULING Call

D. STELZER & SON TRUCK CO

No. 510 S. Metcalf St. Main 4894
We Are Responsible

MILLER BROS. TRUCK CO.

Closed Trucks for Local and Long Distance Hauling
Fire Proof Storage
Main 7155
310 W. Grand Ave.

CHARLES STANYER & CO.
Big truck is leaving for York, Pa., Dec. 26, with a load. Will bring back a load by the way of Pittsburg, Youngstown or Cleveland at a reasonable rate. Every load insured.
Off. 120 E. Market
Res. Main 7026 Main 4745

32 AUTOS AND SUPPLIES

FRANKLINS

USED CARS
9B Franklin 5 pass. Sedan.
9B Franklin 4 pass. Touring.
Marmon 7 pass. Sedan, driven less than 9000 miles, $1750.
Hupmobile, 1922, 5 pass. Touring, $750.
Oldsmobile, 5 pass. Touring, $500
Chandler Brougham, $650.
Hudson Roadster, 1917, $175.
Cadillac Coupe, $100.

LIMA FRANKLIN CO.

Phone Main 3025

FOR SALE—1920 FORD COUPE. C. D Steele, Main 2061.

FOR SALE

1 Overland touring car, good tires all around, less than $100.00. Bargain. Main 4684.

E. H. REHN
1071 W. Spring St.

FOR SALE
Ford Truck, good condition, good tires, cab type open express. Price $80 cash.
LIMA AUTO LAUNDRY
Rear of Court House

ARE YOU GOING TO PAINT your car? Why not take off the old paint and do a real job. Remove the old paint in 1 hour with Ray's Magic Paint and Varnish Remover — it is clean and ororless. Manufactured and sold by
RAYS PRODUCTS CO.
116 W. Water St.
Main 6115
Mail Orders given prompt attention
Price $1.50 per can

FOR SALE—FORD TON TRUCK IN good running condition, also good tires 223 S. Main St.

FOR SALE—USED PIERCE ARROW bicycle, fine shape, twenty dollars. Call Main 4390, 634 S. Scott St

32 AUTOS AND SUPPLIES

HUDSON—ESSEX

USED CARS
1—1922 Essex Coach, repainted
1—1918 Hudson 7 Pass. Touring
1—1921 Reo Sedan.
1—1922 Hupp Touring, repainted
1—1922 Studebaker Special Touring
1—1920 Peerless 7 Pass. Touring.
1—1923 Ford Sedan.
1—1922 Hudson Coach.
1—1920 Essex Roadster.

THE CLEVENGER AUTO SALES CO.
140 S. Main St. Phone Main 7137

The Finest Collection of

High Grade

Used Cars

In the City
An entire new stock, all late models.

LIBERAL TERMS

1922 Essex Cabriolet.
1923 Buick 6 Sport—brand new.
1922 Buick 6 Touring.
1922 Overland 4 Touring.
1921 Overland 4 Sedan.
1929 Stearns Knight Roadster.
1923 Ford Touring.
1922 Ford Touring.
1923 Ford Sedan.
1923 Ford Coupe.
1918 Stutz Roadster.
Salesroom open daily, including Sunday, 7 A. M. to 9:00 P. M.

LIMA USED CAR EXCHANGE

Main 6847 127 E. Spring St.

Type 61

Cadillac Victoria

Type 61 5-pass. Cadillac sedan
Type 59 Cadillac—5 pass. sedan
1921—Jordan—5 pass. touring
1921 Peerless 7-pass. touring.
Type 57 Cadillac Touring
1920 5-pass. Wescott sedan
1923 Lexington Roadster.
1921 Peerless Chummy Roadster.
1923 California top Marmon

Lima Cadillac Co.

Main 4784
122-4-6-8 W. North St.

FOR SALE—CHEVROLET SEDAN: run less than 2400 miles Bargain if sold at once. Call at 742 W Spring.

FOR SALE—LIGHT OVERLAND (Four) touring car, good tires and in good condition throughout, will sell cheap for quick sale. 317 S Pine.

LIMA AUTO CLUB SERVICE

Look for the Red Wrecking Car

E. H. REHN

Main 4684 1071 W. Spring

33 REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FOR SALE

New 6 room house, 547 Marion Ave. Oak floors, mantel, kitchen cabinet.

New 5 room cottage, 523 Marion Ave., oak finish, mantel, book-cases and writing desk, payment plan.

DERBYSHIRE BROS.

Call Lake 4297

FOR SALE OR TRADE BY OWNER

5-room completely modern home—all on one floor; garage and stone drive, northwest part of city—a dandy home for a small family. Will trade for 6-room modern house in west or northwest part of city.

Address BOX 1074, Care News

FOR SALE—TWO LOTS ON LELAND Ave. between Kenilworth and Woodlawn. Main 6740.

FOR SALE

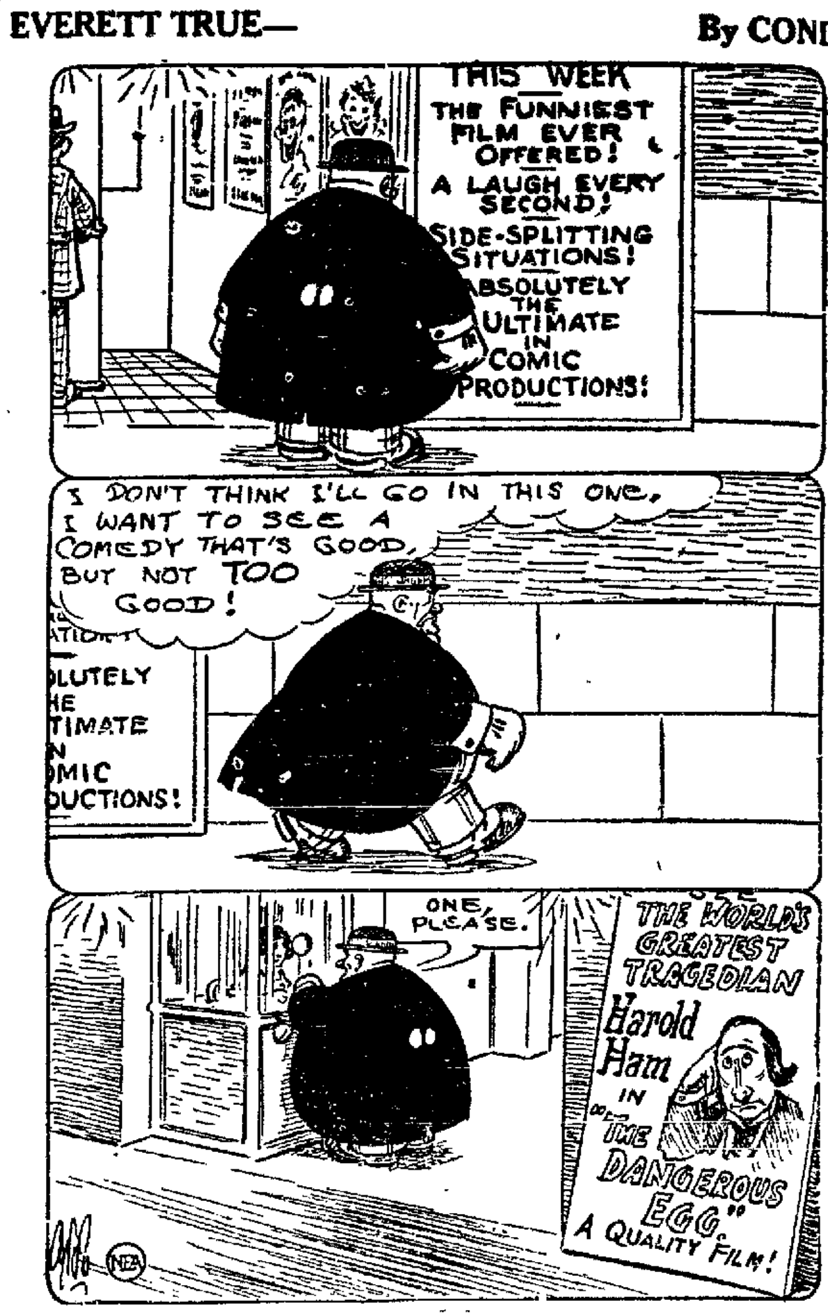
Faurot Ave.—6 room stucco—with garage—strictly modern—hot air furnace $6750.00
W. North—7 rooms, strictly modern —garage $6250.00
Michael Ave.—6 rooms—partly modern $3800.00
Prospect Ave.—5 room cottage—furnace and bath $4750.00

WILLIAM T. KINZER
330 American Bank Bldg. Main 6226

Use News Want Ads

EVERETT TRUE—

By CONDO



33 REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

PROPERTY FOR SALE

827 St. Johns. Electric lights and gas, $185 will handle this 6 room house. 4-room house in Belmont addition; well, fruit, 3 corner lots and out house; $235 will handle this. Call High 7262.

34 PUBLIC SALES

L. L. MILLER
AUCTIONEER
Can be found at Drs Failor and Morris Veterinary office, 227 S Pierce St. Office Phone Main 4041. Res. Phone Main 1895.

HAROLD McCLAIN, Auctioneer
Can be found at Dr Hover's Veterinary office, 112 S Central Ave. Terms reasonable and satisfaction guaranteed Office phone Main 8721 Residence Sub 4031
Dec. 11—Wm H Chidester, executor for Matilda Chidester, 6 miles north of Lafayette

F F EDMINSTON, AUCTIONEER
Can be found at Webb Book and Bible Co., 141 W Spring St Phones Main 2519 and High 2345 Rates reasonable Satisfaction guaranteed

35 GENERAL DISPLAY

RADIATORS REPAIRED RECORED TANKED BUILT
NATIONAL AUTO RADIATOR CO
AUTHORIZED UNITED MOTORS SERVICE STATION
PHONE-MAIN 2681 217 SO. MAIN ST.

R. D. Mundhenk O. D.
Exclusive Optometrist.
Eyes Examined Glasses Fitted
135 N Main Lima Ohio

CHRISTMAS GIFT SUGGESTIONS

FOR HER

HANDKERCHIEFS—
For Men, Women and Children—10c up. BLUEM'S, Market and Elizabeth St.

FUR SCARFS—
$14.95 to $500. Alis Shop (North and Main).

A PERFECT GIFT AT A NOMINAL Price—Alis Guaranteed Hosiery—$2 and $2.50 in all shades.

LADIES' FITTED CASES E. B. MARtin.

HAT BOXES AND BAGS. E. B. MARtin.

TOURIST WRITING SETS. E. B. Martin.

Dodge Brothers Coupe.

UTENCO ELECTRIC IRONER WILL please her. Maytag Store, 217 S. Main.

STATIONERY—
An extensive line of stationery for Milady C. F. Snook Co., 118 W High. 324 N. Main.

DAINTY, LACY, BOUDOIR CAPS and bandeaux. $1 to $3.50. ALIS SHOP Corner North and Main.

BUY HER A DIAMOND RING Basingers.

SAY MERRY XMAS WITH PEARLS Basingers.

GIVE HER A WRIST WATCH. Basinger's.

YOU CAN MAKE YOUR GIFT A Luxurious Fur Scarf—Wolf, Fox, Squirrel, Stone Martin, Lynx, Moufflon, for any price you wish to pay from $14.95 upward You can get her nothing she'll appreciate more The largest selection in the city—ALIS SHOP, corner North and Main

Gifts for the Home

FLOOR LAMPS—
Beautiful shades and stands, ideal gifts. Bluem's, Market and Elizabeth

Dodge Brothers Touring.

MAH JONGG—
The game for the family—buy them a set. Bluem's, Market and Elizabeth

SHOPPERS ATTENTION
Delicious Hot Roast Beef Sandwiches with gravy, hot chocolate with whipped cream Horn's Candy Shop.

BOOKS FOR EVERYBODY, STATIONery, gift novelties, big line. Schell's Book Store

RANGE, VACUUM SWEEPER, OVens, wringer Jones Branson Hardware Co 127 S Main

EVERYTHING IN MUSIC. TONY Zender.

FOR HIM

PULLMAN SLIPPERS. E. B. MARtin.

BATHROBES—
For Men, Women and Children, appreciated. Bluem's, Market and Elizabeth

DAYTON BICYCLES. LIMA CYCLE Co.

INDIAN MOTORCYCLES. LIMA Cycle Co.

Dodge Brothers Roadster.

WINDSHIELD WIPERS (HAND) 98c; Automatic $3.75. K. & N. Co., 206 S. Main St.

GIFTS FOR THE SMOKING MAN. We carry a complete line of Cigars, Pipes, etc Mecca Cigar Store.

HE WILL APPRECIATE A WATCH. Basinger's.

PIPES FOR THE HE MAN. C. F. Snook Co., 118 W High 323 N. Main

HAT. JOLLEY-CHENOWETH.

GLOVES. JOLLEY-CHENOWETH.

WOOL HOSE. JOLLEY-CHENOWETH.

BELT BUCKLE. JOLLEY-CHENOWETH.

TIE. JOLLEY-CHENOWETH.

UNDERWEAR. JOLLEY - CHENOWETH.

SUIT. JOLLEY-CHENOWETH.

SHIRT. JOLLEY-CHENOWETH.

SWEATER VEST. JOLLEY-CHENOWETH.

CUFF LINKS. JOLLEY-CHENOWETH.

CAP. JOLLEY-CHENOWETH.

MUFFLER. JOLLEY-CHENOWETH.

UMBRELLA. JOLLEY-CHENOWETH.

SUSPENDERS. JOLLEY - CHENOWETH.

PAJAMAS JOLLEY-CHENOWETH.

OVERCOAT. JOLLEY-CHENOWETH.

SHIRTS—FOR DAD AND BROTHER H. J. Pflum. Open evenings until 9

Gifts for the Children

VELOCIPEDES LIMA CYCLE CO.

Gifts for the Family

DODGE BROTHERS CAR D. D. JONES

Dodge Brothers Sedan.

NEWSPAPERARCHIVE® NEWSPAPERARCHIVE®

AINS SCORED IN OIL STOCKS

pirited Buying of Special Groups is Continued

AILS ARE ON DOWNTURN

cessions Fractional, However —Industrials Also Weak

LIBERTY BONDS

3½'s	99.20
First 4¼'s	98.30
Second 4¼'s	98.00
Third 4¼'s	99.00
Fourth 4¼'s	98.30
New 4¼'s	99.10

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NEW YORK—(Associated Press) While fractional recessions were de by some of the leading rails and industrials and several of specialties displayed weakness, re was a continuance of the re- buying of special groups in to- 's brief session of the stock mar- A notable instance of such ing was in the oil group. "Big r" advanced six points, Willys- rland 3, National Lead 2 3-4, oklyn Union Gas 2 1-2 and Kel- Wheel 2. Davison Chemical was hed down two points before meet some support and Fisher lost 2. Crucible Steel, Sears Roe- k and Cuba Cane Sugar prefer- also saged 1 to 1 1-2. The clos- was irregular. Sales approxi- ed 450,000 shares.

UCE IN CHURCH WAR DECLARED

(Continued on Page Seven)

of St. Mark's in the Bouwerie, e symbolic service in which ily clad dancers participated, ed Bishop Manning to summon and his vestrymen for a confer- at Synod Hall, declared he d make a statement from the t tomorrow in an attempt to in his position. He asserted, ver, that his statement would touch upon controversial mat-

otestant Episcopal modernists ated that the holiday truce d end after Christmas with a uption of the struggle against onservatives. Bishop Manning's nation of the pastoral letter in wn diocesan letter will be taken fter the holidays, the Rev. Dr. nder Griswold Cummins, rector brist church, Poughkeepsie, N. aid yesterday.

anwhile an outbreak of contro- between liberal and conserva- factions in the Presbyterian h was expected when it became n last night that the preaching e Rev. Dr. Harry Emerson Fos- Baptist preacher in the First byterian church, probably would held in a report of the New Presbytery at a meeting Jan- 14

Henry Van Dyke, of Princeton rsity, a former moderator of eneral assembly of the Presby- n church, declared last night e was not a fundamentalist, r did he know precisely what nism was, and announced that iberalist, he would preach Sun- orning in the Park Avenue yterian church, New York. His n, he said, would be given in irit in which he believes Christ ed the literalism of the Scribes harisees.

WINS CHILDREN, DIVORCE AND ALIMONY

tody of her children, and $6 a maintenance were awarded Edna McGarry, in common court after she had related Holland McGarry, railroad fire- Columbus, failed to provide r Judge Becker gave her a

ring on a divorce action filed ra May Hoover, against Thom- ver of Kenton, was postponed mon please court Saturday, to the defendant to file a more te cross petition.

wife, mother of seven chil- charges Hoover with being nd quarrelsome, and with re- o provide for her. The hus- charges his mate with indic s and misconduct.

WOOL MARKET

TON—The Commercial Bul- ill say tomorrow:

demand for wool has con- oderate altho the manu- rs have by no means neglect- market. Prices keep very hruout the list and the tend- f values still is upward both nd abroad The farther one om wool, however, the less the strength of the situation, ce reaches the goods market re he finds little of encour- t at the moment. That the of heavy weight openings onth will be, is a matter of e conjecture thruout the en- de.

Commercial Bulletin will the following quotations: estic—Ohio and Pennsylva- ces, decline unwashed 55; washed 48 to 49; half blood 55; 3-8 blood combing 54

PRODUCE REVIEW

(By Swift & Co.)

utstanding feature of the week dden and severe decline in the price of fresh eggs, the quota- is being 6 to 8 cents lower than ago and 14 cents lower than prevailing two weeks ago. d, open weather has brought increase in production. Stor- salso are selling much lower. ation today being 24 cents for r storage packed firsts. This represents a loss of from 6 s a dozen, based on April cost rying charges.

ts of butter are about equal emand, and there has been no r change in quotations.

f those engaged in the dressed business are directing their at- to the marketing of turkeys. and chickens are neglected. e poultry market is closing tier feeling than prevailed a

AT THE Y. M. C. A. CAF-

DIXIE CAFETERIA FOR LL LIKE IT. MAIN AND STS.

NEW YORK STOCK TRANSACTIONS

Furnished by Thomson and McKinnon, 407-413 Citizens-bldg
11 Wall St., New York 209 S. LaSalle St., Chicago

STOCKS—	Open	High	Low	1:30
American Can	103⅝	104	103	103½
Am. Car Fdy.	161½	161½	160¾	160½
Am. Loco.	73⅝	73⅜	72⅝	73⅝
Am. Steel Fdy.	37⅝	37⅜	37	37
Am. Sugar Rfg.	55	55¾	55	55
Am. Tel. & T.	124⅜	125	124½	125
Am. Woolen	72	72	71⅝	72⅝
Ana. Copper	36⅝	36¼	36	36
Atchison	95⅞	....	....	95⅞
Atl. Gf. & Wi.	17⅛	17⅝	17⅛	17⅝
Bald. Loco.	124⅜	124¼	123⅝	123⅞
B. & O.	58⅝	58⅝	58⅝	58⅝
Bethlehem "B"	51⅝	51⅞	51½	51⅝
Butte Copper	5⅝	....	....	5⅝
Cal. Petro.	24⅝	24⅝	24⅝	24⅝
Can. Pacific	146	146¼	145	145⅝
Central Leather	13⅝	13⅝	11½	13⅝
Chandler	63	64⅝	63	64⅝
Ches. & O.	69⅝	69⅝	69⅝	69⅝
C. M. & St. P.	11⅝	12⅜	11⅝	12
Chicago N. W.	48⅝	48⅝	48⅝	48½
Chile Copper	27⅝	....	....	27⅝
Chino Copper	17⅝	17⅝	17¼	17⅝
Col. Gas & E.	33⅝	....	....	33⅝
Corn Prod.	153	153	152⅝	153
Cosden	34	35	33⅝	34⅝
Cruc. Steel	64½	64½	64	64⅝
Cub. Cane Sug.	16⅝	16⅝	16¼	16⅝
Dupont P.	127⅝	127⅝	127⅝	127⅝
Erie R. R.	21⅝	21⅝	21¼	21⅝
Fisk Rubber	7⅝	7⅝	7⅝	7⅝
Gen. Asphalt	40⅝	41½	40⅝	41¼
Gen. Motors	14⅝	14⅝	14½	14⅝
Goodrich R.	20⅝	21½	20⅝	21
Ind. Alcohol	64⅝	65⅝	64⅝	65
Int. Paper	37⅝	....	....	37⅝
Int. Nickel	13⅝	....	....	13⅝

STOCKS—	Open	High	Low	1:30
Kel. Spring.	30⅝	31⅞	30⅝	31⅝
Ken. Copper	33⅝	33½	33⅝	33½
K. C.-Sou.	18	....	....	18
L. & N.	88	88⅝	88	88⅝
Mid. States Oil	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝
Mother Lode	8	....	....	8
N. Y. Central	104⅝	104⅝	104	104
Norf. & W.	103			103
No. Pacific	52¼	52½	51⅝	51⅝
Owen Bottle	42⅝	....	....	42⅝
Pan-Am. Petro.	63	63	62⅝	62⅝
Penna. R. R.	41⅝	41⅝	41⅝	41⅝
Pere Marq.	40⅝	40⅝	40⅝	40⅝
Pierce Oil	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝
Pullman	121⅝	121⅝	121	121
Pure Oil	20⅝	....	....	20⅝
Reading	76⅝	76½	76¼	76½
Rep. I. & S.	48⅝	48⅝	48¼	48⅝
Roy. Dut. N. Y.	48½	....	....	48¼
Sears - Roebuck	86½	86⅝	86½	86⅝
Sinclair Oil	25⅝	25⅝	25¼	25⅝
So. Pacific	85⅝	85⅝	85⅝	85⅝
Southern Ry.	35¼	36½	36⅝	36½
Skelly Oil	23⅝	23⅝	23⅝	23⅝
Shell Union Oil	16⅝	17	16½	16⅝
Stand. of Cal.	62	62½	61⅝	62⅝
Stand. of N. J.	37⅝	37⅝	37⅝	37⅝
Stromberg	78	....	....	78
Studebaker	104⅝	105½	104⅝	105½
Texas Oil	42⅝	42⅝	43	42¼
Union Pacific	126½	126⅝	126⅛	126⅝
U. S. Rubber	36⅝	37½	36⅝	36⅝
U. S. Steel	94½	94⅝	94½	94⅝
Van. Steel	30¼	30¼	29⅝	29⅝
West. Union	108⅝	....	....	108⅝
West. Elec.	60⅝	60⅝	60¼	60¼
Wil. - Over.	9⅝	10½	9⅝	10½

CHICAGO GRAIN PRICES

Courtesy of Thomson & Mckinnon 407-412 Citizens Building

	OPEN	HIGH	LOW	CLOSE
WHEAT—Dec.	101⅝	102	100⅝	101⅛-101⅝
May	106½-106⅝	106¾	105⅞	106½-106⅝
July	105⅛	105⅜	104⅝	105 -105⅛
CORN—Dec.	70 - 70⅛	70⅜	69⅝	69⅞- 69⅝
May	72¾	73⅜	72⅝	73¼
July	73⅞	74⅜	73⅞	74⅜B
OATS—Dec.	41⅛	41⅛	41	41⅛
May	44⅝- 44¾	44¾	44½	44⅝
July	42½	42½	42¼	42⅜
RYE—May	73¼	73⅝	72⅞	73½
December	67⅝	67⅝	67⅛	67⅝

OTHER GRAIN FUTURE PRICES

	OPEN	CLOSE
WINNIPEG—		
Wheat—Dec.	91½	91¼
May	97½	97⅜
MINNEAPOLIS—		
Wheat—Dec.	105B	105B

LIVESTOCK MARKETS

CLEVELAND — Cattle, receipts 200, slow, dull. Choice dry fed yearlings 8.75@9.50; fair to good 7.00@8.00; choice handy weight butcher steers 7.00@8.00; fair to good butchers 5.00@6.00; choice heavy dry fed 7.75@8.75; fair to good heavy and plain 6.00@7.00; common and light butchers 4.00@5.00; choice heifers 5.75@6.75; fair to good 3.75@4.75; Choice cows 4.00@5.00; fair to good cows 3.25@3.75; common cows, canners and cutters 1.00@2.25; choice handy weight bulls 4.75@5.25; choice heavy bulls 4.75@5.00; common and bologna bulls 2.75@3.75.

Calves, receipts 250; steady. Good to choice veal calves 11.00@12.00; fair to good 5.00@9.00.

Sheep and Lambs, receipts 500; steady. Good to choice spring lambs 12.00@12.75; fair to good 10.00@11.00; good to choice sheep 6.00@7.00; good to choice ewes 5.00@6.00. Common 2.00@3.00.

Hogs, receipts 3,000; steady. Mixed 7.15; pigs and lights 6.50; roughs 5.75; stags 4.50.

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CINCINNATI — Hogs, receipts 1400; steady to 20c higher. Heavies 7.35; packers and butchers 7.35; medium 7.00; stags 4.00@4.50; heavy fat sows 5.00@5.75; light shippers 6.90; pigs 110 lbs. and less 5.00@6.00.

Cattle, receipts 100; steady. Steers, good to choice 7.25@9.00; fair to good 6.00@7.25; common to fair 4.00@6.00; heifers, good to choice 6.00@9.50; fair to good 5.00@6.00; common to fair 3.50@6.00; cows, good to choice, 4.50@5.50; fair to good 3.50@4.00; cutters 2.50@3.25.

Calves, steady; good to choice 10.00@11.00; fair to good 8.00@10.00, common and large 4.00@7.00.

Sheep, receipts 75; steady. Good to choice 4.50@5.50; fair to good 3.00@4.50; common 1.00@2.00; bucks 2.00@3.00.

Lambs, steady. Good to choice 12.50@13.00; fair to good 10.50@12.50; seconds 9.00@10.00; common 5.00@7.00.

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CHICAGO — Cattle, receipts 1,000; compared week ago good and choice grades weighty beef steers 350, 35 to 50c higher; lower grades unevenly lower, top yearlings 12.60; best handy weight steers 11.25; fat cows 25c lower, vealers 25 to 50c higher; stockers and feeders about steady; week's bulk prices follow: Beef steers 7.50@10.00; stockers and feeders 5.25@7.00; fat she stock 4.00@6.25; canners and cutters 2.50@3.25, veal calves 8.75@9.50.

Sheep, receipts 2,000; steady; choice fed western lambs 13.00; compared week ago, slaughter lambs and yearlings strong to around 25c higher; sheep strong; feeding lambs weak to 25c lower; bulk prices follow: Fat lambs 12.50@13.00, yearling wethers 10.50@11.00; wethers 7.50@8.25; fat ewes 6.25@7.25; feeding lambs 11.00@11.75.

Hogs, receipts 11,000; steady to 10c higher; strong weight butchers 6.95@7.00, 180 to 225 lb averages 6.70@6.85; 150 to 170 lb. averages 6.55@6.65; bulk packing sows 6.35@6.50; strong weight pigs 5.75; estimated holdover 5,000.

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EAST BUFFALO — Cattle, receipts 675; slow, no change.

Calves, receipts 375; active and steady, 4.00@13.00.

Hogs, receipts 3200; slow and generally steady; heavy 7.25, a few at 7.35; mixed yorkers and light yorkers 6.75@7.00; pigs 6.25@7.25; roughs 5.75@6.00; stags 3.50@4.50.

Sheep and Lambs, receipts 1400; active; lambs 7.50@13.00; a few at 13.25; others unchanged.

PITTSBURGH — Hogs, receipts 5,000; lower; heavies and heavy yorkers 7.10@7.15; light yorkers 6.50@6.75; pigs 6.25@6.50.

Sheep and Lambs, receipts 500; steady; sheep 7.50; lambs 13.00.

Calves, receipts 100; steady; top 13.00.

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INDIANAPOLIS—Hogs, receipts 6,000; 15c higher; heavies 7.10@7.15; lights 6.85@7.00, top 7.15; pigs 5.00@6.50.

Cattle, receipts 200; steady; steers nominal; beef cows 3.50@6.00; heifers 4.00@9.00.

Calves, receipts 300; steady; veals 7.00@12.00.

Sheep, receipts 100; steady; sheep nominal; lambs 7.00@11.50.

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TOLEDO — Hogs, receipts 5.00. Market 15@20 higher; heavies 7.15@7.25; mediums 7.10@7.15; yorkers 6.90@7.00; good pigs 6.00@6.50.

Calves. Market steady.

Sheep and Lambs, Market steady.

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SUGAR MARKET

NEW YORK.—The sugar market was quiet in all departments Saturday. There were no sales of raws and spot prices were unchanged at 5 5-8 for Cuban cost and freight, equal to 7.41 for centrifugal. There was only a limited inquiry for refined sugar and prices were unchanged at 8.80 to 8.90 for fine granulated.

OIL MARKET

Lima	$ 1.53
Corning	1.26
Indiana	1.32
Wooster	1.40
Plymouth	.70
Illinois	1.32
Pennsylvania Grade	2.60
Cabell	1.35
Somerset	1.30
Somerset (Light)	1.45
Princeton	1.32
Waterloo	.80
Ragland	.75

ALCOHOL AND GASOLINE

CINCINNATI — Denatured alcohol in drums 47; gasoline tank wagon 16; 70 per cent 34.

STANDARD OIL STOCKS

Courtesy of Thomson & McKinnon Members New York Stock Exchange All quotations dollar per share

STOCKS—	Bid	As'd.
CLOSE		
Born Scrymser	145	155
Buckeye Pipe Line	72	73
Chesebrough Mfg.	230	240
Continental Oil	42	43
Crescent Pipe Line	15	17
Cumberland Pipe	105	107
Eureka Pipe Line	97	98
Galena Signal Com.	67	69
Galena Signal Pfd.	104	106
Galena New Pfd.	105	106
Illinois Pipe Line	138	143
Indiana Pipe Line	83	85
National Transit	21⅝	21⅞
New York Transit	76	78
Northern Pipe Line	95	96
Ohio Oil	68	68⅝
Penn. Mex. Fuel	39	40
Prairie Oil & Gas	222	223
Prairie Pipe Line	102	103
Solar Refining	170	175
Southern Pipe	90	92
South Penn. Oil	142	144
S. W. Penn. Pipe Line	76	78
Standard Oil of Indiana	63⅝	63¾
Standard Oil of Kansas	40⅝	40⅞
Standard Oil of Kentucky	108½	109
Standard Oil of New York	44⅛	44½
Standard Oil of Ohio	280	285
Swan & Finch	35	40
Vacuum Oil	54⅝	54⅞
Washington Oil	22	24
Standard Oil of Neb.	225	235
Imperial Oil Ltd.	111	111½
INDEPENDENT OILS		
Mutual Oils	11⅛	11¼
Mountain		16½

PRODUCE MARKET

LIMA LIVE STOCK

(Lima Packing Co. Quotations)

HOGS—	
Heavy	.06½
Medium	.06¼
Roughs	.05 @.05½
Stags	.03@.03½
CATTLE—	
Good Steers, 1,000 to 1,100	.07 @.07½
Bulls	.03½@.04½
Good Cows	.04 @.04½
Good Heifers—800 to 900	.06 @.06½
Veal Calves	.09 @.10

LIMA HAY MARKET

(Hurley Buckholtz Co. Quotations)

No. 1 Timothy New Hay	17.00
Light Mixed	16.00
No. 1 Heavy Clover	16.00
No. 1 Heavy Clover Mixed	15.00

LIMA GRAIN PRICES

(Model Mills and Hyman & Ackerman Quotations)

Corn, cwt.	$ .90
No. 1 Winter Wheat	1.05
No. 2 Winter Wheat	1.03
No. 1 Oats, per bu.	.40
Barley, per bu.	.60
Rye, per bu.	.55

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CLEVELAND — Butter, extra in tub lots 55½@57½c a lb.; extra firsts 56½@58½; firsts 56½@58½; packing stock 32@35; standard 55½@57½; prints one cent a pound extra.

Eggs, fresh gathered Northern extras 43c a dozen; extra firsts 41; Ohio firsts 38; Western firsts 38; refrigerator extras 28; firsts 25.

Oleomargarine, price to retailers: Nut oleo 21@23c a pound; higher grade, made of animal oil, 26@26½; lower grades 18@19.

Cheese, old York state 28@29c a pound; brick 28½@29; fancy Swiss 41@43; limburger 28@30.

Poultry, live fat fowls 21@23 a pound. springs 20@22; old roosters 14@15; geese 20; heavy white ducks 22@24; light colored ducks 18@23; medium fowls 21@23; leghorn fowls 15@16c; leghorn springers 15@16; turkeys 30@32c a pound.

Rabbits, 2.50@3.00 a dozen.

Potatoes, Michigan round whites 1.85 for a 150 lb. sack; Petoskey 2.00 for a 150 lb. sack; Wisconsin branded, fancy stock 2.00 for a 150 lb. sack; Ohio 2.00@2.15 for a 150 lb. sack; Minnesota whites, branded, 1.25@1.45 for a 120 lb. bag; New York 2.25@2.50 a 150 lb. sack; Colorado Brown Beauty 2.15 a 100 lb sack. Baking potatoes, Western, 1.00 a dozen for large size or 4½ cents a pound.

Sweet potatoes, Delaware 2.25 a hamper; Alabama Nancy Halls 5.00@5.50 a barrel; New Jersey 5.00@6.00 a barrel; Porto Rico, decaver, 1.25@1.75 a hamper.

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CINCINNATI — Poultry, roasting chickens 25; others unchanged.

Butter and eggs, unchanged.

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CHICAGO — Butter, higher; creamery extras 53½; standards 49½; extra firsts 50@52; firsts 44½@47½; seconds 43@43½.

Eggs, higher; receipts 4,300 cases; firsts 36@37; ordinary firsts 31@33.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Sheriff Crosson to Arthur Moorman, 26 2-3 acres in American-tp.

N. P. Dodge to Miner Bodiker, lot 8968.

A. E. Derbyshire to Clifford E. Driver, lot 12156, tax $3.

J. H. Pletcher, to W. W. Roush, lot 6037, tax 50 cents.

Ella V. Huber to Ray I. Offenbacher lot 3376, tax $1.

William C. Shenk to Minnie Earnest part of lot 574, Delphos, tax $4.50.

Jordan S. Craig to Oliver Kies lot 5350, tax $3.50.

John Thomas to Gilbert S. Brackett, lot 13206, tax $3.50.

Isaac W. Lugibuhl to Fred Badertscher, 60 acres in Richland-tp, tax $10.50.

LET THE DIXIE CAFETERIA SERVE YOU MEALS; MAIN AND WAYNE-STS.

PRICES OF WHEAT ON DECLINE

Deliveries on Large Scale Chief Factor in Drop

MARKET IS UNSETTLED

Corn Slightly on Advance, With Irregular Finish

CHICAGO. — (Associated Press.) —Wheat averaged a little lower in price during the first part of today's trading. Scattered liquidating sales disclosed that support from buyers was slow to develop. Meanwhile deliveries on December contracts here continued on a liberal scale. The opening which varied from unchanged figures to 1-8 and 1-4c higher, May $1.06 1-2 to $1.06 5-8, and July $1.05 1-8 to 1-4, was allowed by a setback all around to below yesterday's finish.

Damp weather unfavorable for maturing the corn crop and for shipping gave strength to the corn market. On the other hand, assertions that mild temperatures meant curtailment of demand from livestock feeders failed to act as an offset. After opening 1-8c off to a like advance, May 72 5-8 to 72 3-4, prices scored slight general gains.

Oats sympathized with wheat rather than with corn, starting unchanged to 1-8 and 1-4 lower, May 44 5-8 to 44 3-4 and later sagging a little more.

Higher quotations on hogs tended to lift the provision market.

Closing wheat prices were unsettled at the same as yesterday's finish to 1-2c lower, May $1.06 1-2 to 1.06 5-8 and July $1.05 to 1.05 1-8.

Closing corn quotations were irregular, ranging from 3-8c net lower to 1-2 at 5-8c advance with May at 73 1-b.

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TOLEDO — Clover seed, cash, old new, December 12.95; January 13.00; February 13.10; March 13.95.

Alsike, cash 9.45; December 9.45; January 9.55; February 9.65; March 9.75.

Timothy, cash 3.90; December 3.90; March 4.00.

Cash grain:
Wheat, 1.09½@1.10½.
Corn, 77@78.
Oats, 48½@49½.
Rye, 72½.
Barley, 67.

CAUSE OF DEATHS IS REVEALED

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the physician to observe its passage thru the alimentary tract. Mrs. Davies was a patient of Dr. Forman and Mrs. Paul was treated by Dr. Gordon. Both died soon after the solution was administered.

DOCTOR SAVED

Soon after the solution was given to Dr. W. D. Murphy he became violently ill and by reason of the fact that his stomach refused to hold the liquid, he was saved from possible death.

Shortly before Mrs. Davies died, Dr. Forman purchased a supply of one of the drugs used in the solution, from a local wholesaler.

Puzzled over the deaths of the women, altho both were said to have suffered from diseases of the heart, Drs. Forman and Gordon decided to go over the medical history of each patient and called upon other physicians to aid them. After pursuing this course for a time it was decided to have an analysis made of the drugs used in making the solution. One of the drugs was found to be almost pure poison.

Families of the dead women were said to hold the physicians blameless.

An officer of the drug company from whom Dr. Forman bought the drug refused to discuss the case, declaring "I have nothing to say." He also refused to say whether the package sold to Dr. Forman was an original container, which was prepared by the manufacturer or whether it was put up here from bulk.

TWO ARE KILLED, MANY INJURED

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gas in the water heater in the cellar, when the explosion occurred. Three-fourths of the stone foundation was blown out and the floor was raised three feet. Every window in the house was broken.

Two minutes afterward a similar blast wrecked the home of Mrs. Arvilla Reigel, 75, across the street. Mrs. Reigel was out at the time. The house was badly damaged.

HOME BLOWN UP

MINGO JUNCTION, Ohio — (Associated Press) — Eight persons miraculously escaped death or serious injury when the home of Tom Sabatina on North Hill was shaken from its foundation and badly wrecked by a dynamite blast at 5:55 o'clock this morning.

Windows in scores of homes as far as two blocks away were shattered by the explosion. Sabatina, his wife and two children and his father-in-law, Joe Lapina, and his three children, were all asleep on the second floor and aside from being hurled from their beds they were unhurt.

Police who reached the scene in a few minutes times, found the fuse that set off the dynamite, several sticks having been used.

The bomb was set off under the dining room and tore out the whole east side of the house. Sabatina and Lapina are both mill workers and neither could give any reason why an attempt should be made to take the lives of themselves or families.

This is the fourth home dynamited in Jefferson county in the last five months.

THE DIXIE CAFETERIA FOR ALL. U'LL LIKE IT. MAIN AND WAYNE-STS.

AUTO KILLS CHILD

CLEVELAND. — Henry Bogart, 3, was killed when struck by an automobile.

YOUNGEST

Norman W. Schur, 15-year-old Boston boy, won, it is said, the highest grades in tests for entrance to Harvard University. He takes an active interest in rowing, too.

TAGS ON SALE SATURDAY BY WELFARE ASSOCIATION

Tags for the Family Welfare association were on sale Saturday in all downtown stores and office buildings. The sale was in charge of high school girls and funds raised will be used in carrying on the work of that organization.

Receipts from the charity dance given at the Moose home Friday night will be used in paying overdue salaries for 1923. Money collected from the sale of tags will be used in carrying out the 1924 program.

An intensive campaign will be waged during the coming week by association workers among the industrial plants of the city. All public spirited persons will be asked to contribute toward the 1924 budget.

APPRENTICE SYSTEM REVIVED IN FRANCE

PARIS.—The dearth of skilled workmen in France is causing a revival of the apprentice system in the form of training schools in factories. One of the most advanced of these is in a Paris automobile factory, where sons of employes are given a two-year course of lectures demonstrations and experimental work, and finished off with a year in the shop doing a man's work.

The boys get alternative lessons in theory and practice, and are given a week or two at a time at some machine with the regular skilled operator. When they graduate they have had a rounded out experience which enables them to choose their future work with discrimination.

Somewhat similarly the theatres of Paris have established training courses for sceneshifters in several f the best equipped houses.

WOMAN'S TRIAL DATE SET

Tentative jury will be selected Monday in criminal court for the trial Thursday afternoon of Ada Jenkins, accused on a liquor violation and disorderly house count. The woman was arrested several months ago but the hearing was repeatedly postponed because of illness of the defendant.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Harry Berten Cheney, 24, fireman, 568 W. Haller-st and Eledith E. Helper, 21, American-tp.

George Rufus Evick, 23, laborer, 619 Spring-st, and Vivian Aileen Edgerton, 23, of 619 W. Spring-st.

Waldo Clinton Hopsetter, 22, farmer, Richland-tp, and Esther Gustave Luginbill, 22, teacher, Richland-tp.

OIL PRICES ADVANCED

PITTSBURG — Three grades of crude oil, quoted in the market here were advanced 15 cents a barrel Saturday. The new prices are Cabell grade oil in Eureka Pipe Line Company lines $1.35; Somerset medium oil in Cumberland Pipe Line Company lines $1.30 and Somerset light oil in Cumberland Pipe Line Company lines $1.45. Other grades advanced early this week were unchanged.

ACTUAL BANK STATEMENT

NEW YORK. — The actual condition of clearing house banks and trust companies for the week shows an excess in reserve of $14,018,060. This is a decrease of $3,547,830.

OHIO INCORPORATIONS

National Laundry and Cleaning Company, Akron, $500, C. Blake McDowell, R. Weidner.

Kelvinator Cleveland Company, Cleveland, $15,000; Ernest W. Farr, William L. Durhamer.

Glass Shoe Company, Cleveland, $500; William J. Shover, E. F. Hodges.

Cleveland Blue Book Publishing Company, Cleveland, $500; Sterling Newell, F. S. Whitcomb.

Ninety-First Street Improvement Company, Cleveland, $10,000; Louis Duchon, M. Bereny.

Nymfaun Company, Cleveland, $50,000; O. F. Leopold, W. W. Wheeler.

Wellmeier Brothers Realty Company, Dayton, $100,000, Edward G. Wellmeier, Herbert M. Wellmeier.

Structural Engineering Company, Canton, $20,000; William H. Hoffman, Ralph E. John.

Cuyahoga Insurance Agency Company, Cleveland, $25,000; Virgil K. Cameron, E. L. Weinland.

FOREIGN EXCHANGES

NEW YORK—Foreign exchanges easy. Quotations in cents: Great Brit in demand 4.34 3-8; cables 4.34 5-8; 60 day bills on banks 4.32 1-8. France demand 5.05; cables 5.05 1-2. Italy demand 4.31 1-2; cables 4.32. Belgium demand 4.48 1-2; cables 4.49. Germany demand 000000000025; cables .000000000025.

Holland demand 37.79; cables 37.85. Norway demand 14.77; Sweden 26.30; Denmark 17.71; Switzerland 17.44; Spain 13.00; Greece 1.90; Poland .000015; Czecho Slovakia 2.92 3-4; Jugo Slavia 1.14; Austria .0014; Rumania .52 1-2; Argentina 32.25; Brazil 9.40; Montreal 97 1-2.

CAN'T COLLECT ON STORM LOSS

Farmer Loses in Appeal from Common Pleas Verdict

O. F. Marshall, farmer, lost his fight Saturday in court of appeals to collect insurance from the Ohio Mutual Tornado Insurance company for losses incurred in a storm during April, 1921.

The court of appeals upheld verdict of the common pleas court jury that Marshall had allowed his policy to lapse by neglecting to pay premiums and therefor was not entitled to collect.

In trial in the lower court it was shown that Marshall allowed his policy to lapse in December, 1920. Marshall, however, claimed he mailed the check in February for premiums which would have reinstated him.

The check was never received, the insurance concerned claimed. In April Marshall had a loss. He sought to collect his insurance, and even mailed a check dated in February, as duplicate of the one alleged to have been lost in the mails.

The company refused to accept the check, and contended that no check had been mailed in February.

Marshall sued. The court instructed the jury to determine whether or not a check had been mailed. If the check had been mailed and received, Marshall could have collected his insurance, it was held. The jury returned a verdict against Marshall.

BOY IS INJURED

Leroy Butler, six year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Doyt Butler of Lima R. D. 1, is in City hospital suffering from a broken leg and cuts about the head sustained when he was struck by an automobile on the Dixie highway, south of Lima Saturday morning.

According to information, the boy ran across the road directly in front of the car which was being driven by a Dayton man. An ambulance removed him to the hospital.

THEFT OF TAPESTRIES ALARMS PARIS POLICE

PARIS, — The recent theft of two rare Gobelin tapestries from the Versailles palace has already alarmed government authorities. The curators have not funds enough to police in really efficient fashion the palaces and museums where art treasures worth billions of francs have been proposed.

The first precaution was an order forbidding guards and guides to tell visitors of the great value of the treasures exhibited. "That would be tempting the devil," the curator at Versailles said.

The difficulty of guarding the palaces becomes apparent when it is realized that at Fountainebleau there are 2,000 rooms to be patrolled by a few guards, who much prefer to sleep.

The plan now before authorities call for an electric burglar alarm system; flooding the outside of the buildings with light, and providing the guards with police dogs. Another project is to use soldiers in the guarding of these art treasures.

JUDGMENT RETURNED

Judgment for $119.04 was brought in by a common pleas court late Friday in a suit growing out of an automobile smashup in Spring and Elizabeth-sts. Orin Turney, plaintiff, sought damages of Joel Spyker, defendant.

LEAPS TO DEATH

EAST LIVERPOOL.—Uriah Herald, 55, Chester, W. Va., believed to be suffering from mental derangement, leaped to his death from the East Liverpool-Chester bridge.

CROSSLEY'S FOR TOYS, 207 S. MAIN. OPEN EVENINGS.

LEGAL NOTICE

County Auditor's Office,
Allen County, Ohio,
December 14, 1923.

Notice to Owner of Land Affected by the Proposed Improvement, of Assessment, of Date and Final Hearing and of Filing for Compensation or Damages.

In the Matter of the Single County Ditch Petitioned for by Samuel C. Watt.

To: W. S. Neiberger, Albert N. Rutledge, Dema Plummer, Alice J. Replogle, Catherine Sullivan, Chas. H. Zerrand, Augusta Rutledge, Margaret Newland, Arthur O. Newland, Mary Agnes May, Rockford Newland, Barbara Miller, Octave D. Gouthier, Alfred H. Mathews, Joseph Mamp, Cloyd Fritz, E. M. Murphy, Lee M. Post, Amanda Fresar, Blanche Rhodes, John G. Knatz, F. A. Sees, Ethel Geyer, C. Coutaky, Wm. Frederick Etherington, Thos. E. and Cath. Hunter, Joseph M. Carter, A. W. Rockhold.

You are hereby notified that the County Surveyor filed in this office on the 26th day of November, 1923, the maps, profiles, schedules and reports in the above named improvement, and you are further notified that the Board of County Commissioners of said County have fixed the 26th day of December, 1923, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the office of said Board, as the time and place of the final hearing by the Commissioners on the report of the Surveyor, and on the proceedings for the improvement, and that all claims for compensation or damages must be filed with the Auditor before that date.

C. R. PHILLIPS,
Auditor of Allen County, Ohio.
12-15-2wks

LEGAL NOTICE

County Auditor's Office,
Allen County, Ohio.
December 14th, 1923

Notice To Owner of Land Affected by the Proposed Improvement, of Assessment, of Date of Final Hearing and of Filing Claims for Compensation or Damages.

In the Matter of The Single County Ditch Petitioned for by C. H. Coon.

To Alexander Proudfoot, Chicago, Ill. You are hereby notified that the County Surveyor filed in this office on the 3rd day of December, 1923, the maps, profiles, schedules and reports in the above named improvement, and that the assessment on each tract of land owned by you, as estimated and described in said schedule, is as follows:

R T S	No. of Lot or Survey	Description	Assessment
6 4 7		SW¼ & S pt NW¼	445.32

and you are further notified that the Board of County Commissioners of said County have fixed the 27th day of December, 1923, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the office of said Board, as the time and place of the final hearing by the Commissioners on the report of the Surveyor, and on the proceedings for the improvement, and that all claims for compensation or damages must be filed with the Auditor before that date.

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FAMILIES SELL HOMES, WOMAN BARRED BY U. S.

PLYMOUTH, Eng. — One of the sad consequences of the United States restricted immigration law is the case of Stanley Light, who with his wife and child recently returned from America.

Light gave up his job here, sold his home and with his family went to New York to join Mrs. Light's parents. His brother and the latter's family went along.

The brother and his family were admitted, but the immigration officials barred Mrs. Stanley Light as a native of South Africa, the quota for which had been exhausted. Mrs. Light was born at Cape Town of English parents, but has lived in England since she was four years old.

"LIMA'S TOO SLOW," SAYS BRIDE LEAVING HUSBAND

Charles A. Mitchell, colored, laborer, 1324 W. Elm-st, obtained a divorce from Mrs. Grace Mitchell, Pittsburgh, in common pleas court Saturday on grounds of wilful absence. The wife left him he said on the day following Christmas in 1915.

"I'm going back to Pittsburgh," she is alleged to have told Mitchell, when he found her packing up to leave. "Lima is too slow."

DONAHEY TO PLAY ROLE OF CHEF CHRISTMAS DAY

COLUMBUS.—Governor Donahey will celebrate Christmas by playing the role of chef for all of his ten children, he announced today. The entire family will gather at the gubernatorial mansion Christmas Day and aided by his son Robert, the governor will banish the cook and "all women" from the kitchen and personally prepare the dinner which will be served at noon. No turkey will be on the menu, which will have pigs feet and sauerkraut as one of its chief items, he said.

ASSAULT BAIL FIXED

Bail of $200 for hearing at a later date set Saturday by Judge Neil R. Poling in the case of James McClusky, 518 W. Market-st, arraigned on a charge of assault and battery alleged to have been committed on his wife.

KIDS FETED

A party for all the children under the care of the Allen-co Child Welfare association was held in the Trinity Methodist church parlors Saturday afternoon.

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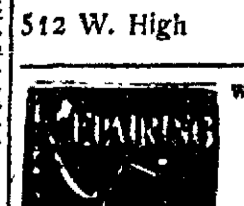

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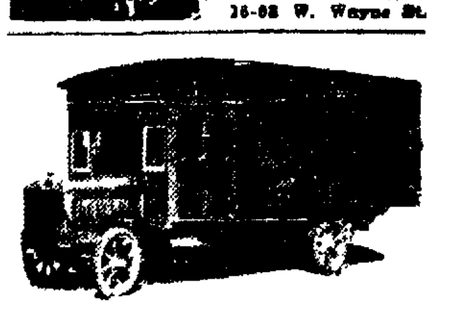

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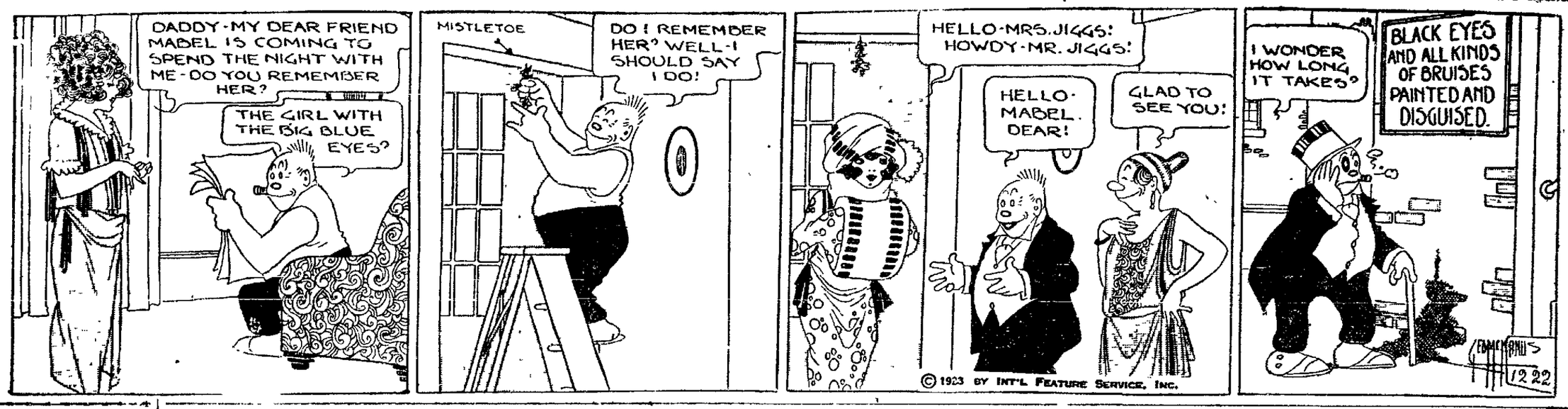

SHORT SHAVINGS

Chicago has no perfect women, wails a Y. W. C. A. leader there. We might be able to spare a Lima girl if they're really that bad off.

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From the way the weather affects the price of eggs one would think that the sun or the moon laid them.

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Even so, it will still be possible for some persons to swear off liquor on New Years day.

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It has been recommended that gasoline be colored red as a safety measure. The only trouble would be that it would then look like some thing to drink.

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That the world is rapidly degenerating can be seen in the fact that honor among thieves is disappearing.

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One can hardly blame the Democrats for "vewing with alarm" the batch of 2,000 federal appointments just made by President Coolidge.

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Husbants neet not worry about what to get their wives for Christmas. Just get something she can exchange.

RADIO NEWS

SUNDAY

STATION WOC
484 Meters, Davenport, Ia.
9 00 a m Sacred Chimes concert
1 30 p m Orchestra concert
7 00 p. m Organ recital
7 30 p m Sport news
8 00 p. m Church service
9 00 p m Musical program

STATION WGY
380 Meters, Schenectady
10·00 a m Service of First Presbyterian church.
2 30 p m. Program by WYO orchestra.
6·30 p m Service of First Presbyterian church

STATION KDKA
326 Meters, East Pittsburgh
10.00 a. m Service of the Point Breeze Presbyterian church
1 30 p m Children's bible story
1 45 p m Concert
2 00 p m Organ recital
3 45 p m Vesper services
5 30 p m Concert
6 30 p m Services of the Calvary Episcopal church

STATION KYW
536 Meters, Chicago
11 00 a m Central church service Musical program
7 00 p m Chicago Sunday evening club service Musical program

STATION WBZ
337 Meters, Springfield, Mass
10 00 a m Church service from South Congregational church
5 45 p m Sunday vespers on Springfield Municipal chimes
7 30 p m Church service.
(Lima Time)

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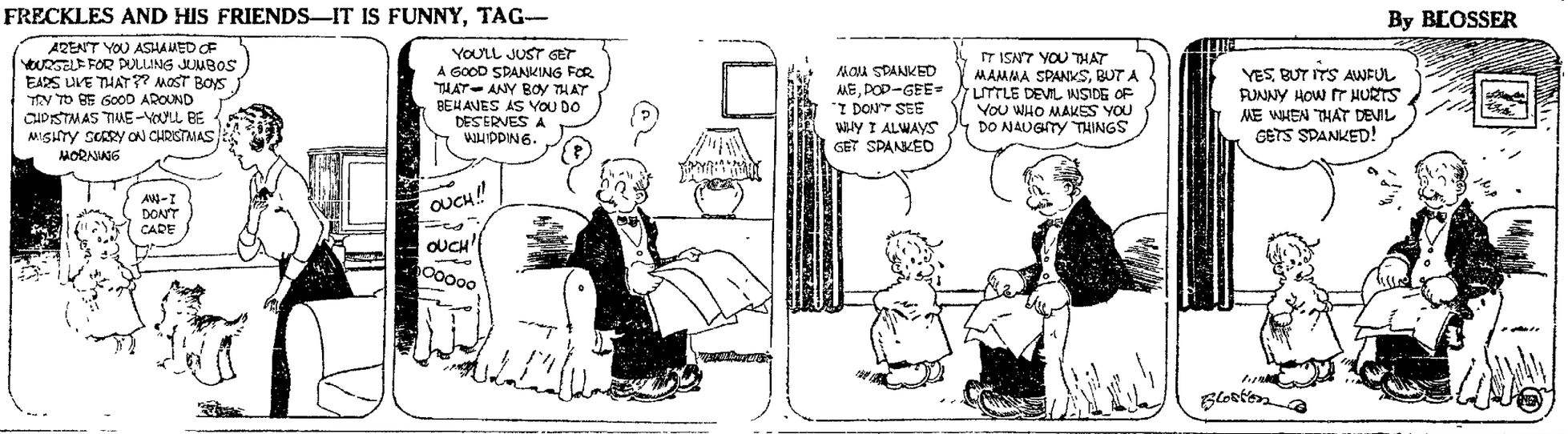
FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS—IT IS FUNNY, TAG— By BLOSSER



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THE OLD HOME TOWN— By STANLEY

OUR BOARDING HOUSE— By AHERN

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